

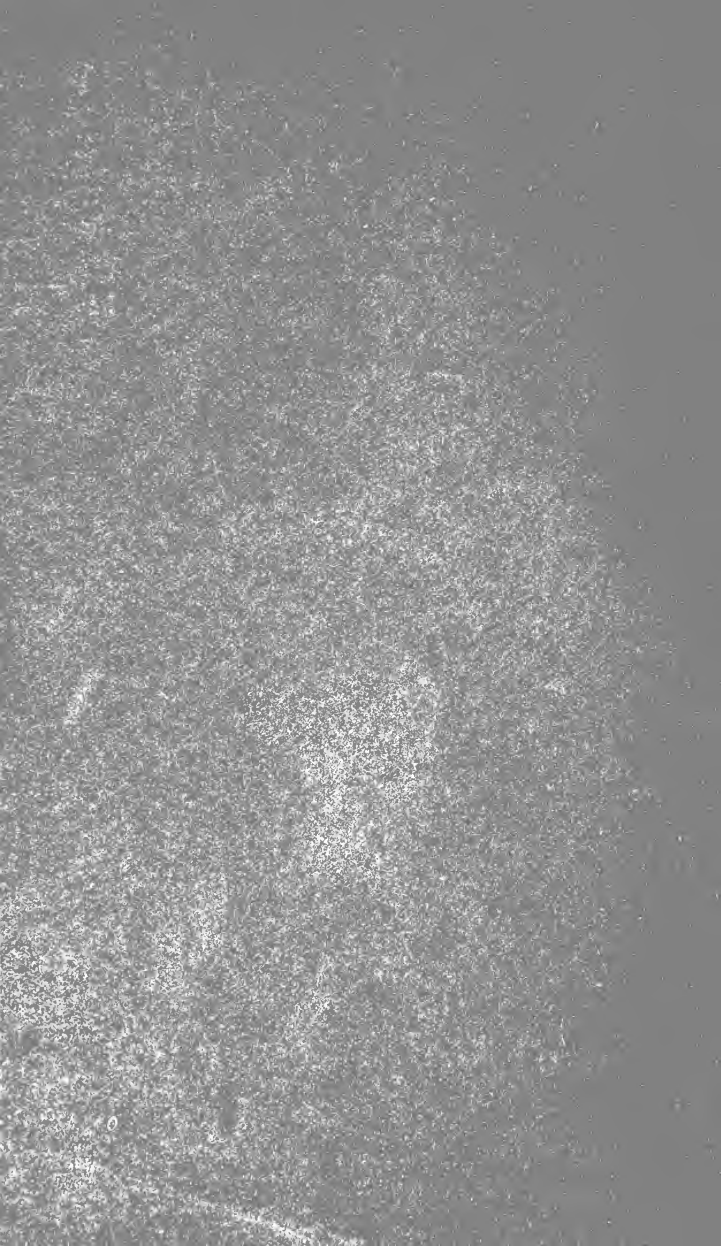
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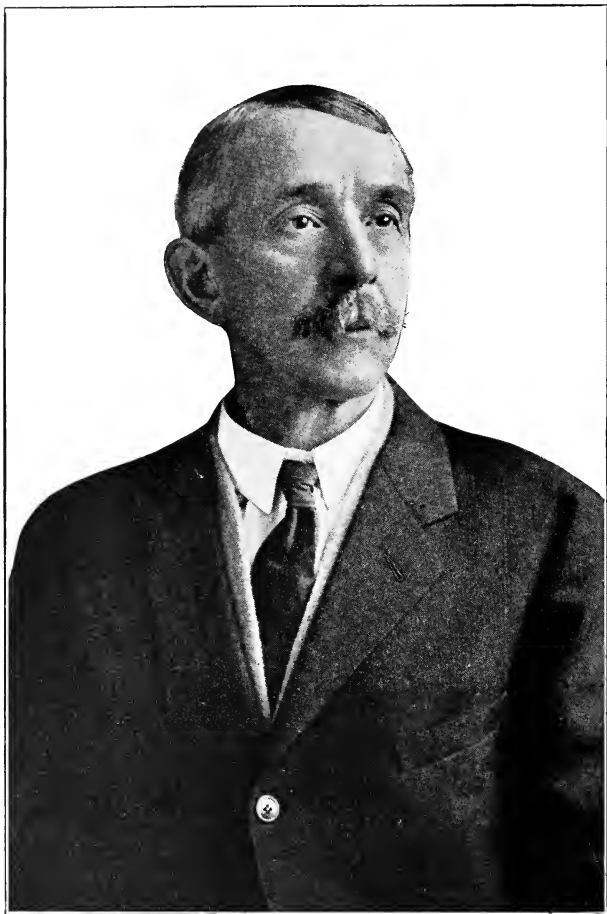


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OF THE

Municipal Government

OF THE

CITY OF FRANKLIN

FOR THE

Financial Year, 1925



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# ORGANIZATION

## OF THE

### City Government, January 5, 1925.

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The city government for the year 1925 was inaugurated Monday evening, January 5th at the Opera House.

The oath of office was administered by City Clerk Goss to Mayor-elect Elmer D. Kelley and to Councilmen-elect Bennie C. G. Jones of Ward One, Eusebe P. Lemire of Ward Two and William H. Martin of Ward Three.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. B. Hansen.

Mayor Kelley delivered the following address:

Ladies and Gentlemen, Fellow-Citizens:

I assure you that I fully appreciate this honor and thank you for your confidence in me. As I realize more fully the responsibility of my office, I most earnestly solicit the cooperation of everyone. If we are to have the fullest success each one must do his part, ever bearing in mind that the city's business is his business. The Mayor, the Council and the other officials are your agents. Let us know your will, for it is our aim to serve you.

A glance at the past confirms the belief that our city has been well governed; but our debt should, and I believe does, give us serious concern. The first city report shows a bonded debt of \$65,262.43 in 1895; the present debt is \$277,233.47. To be sure we have new school houses, improved fire-fighting machinery, a fine new cement bridge, a splendid water system, etc. If the money necessary for these improvements was not at hand we issued bonds to secure it, but too much indebtedness is a handicap, for it

mortgages the future, deters new enterprises and discourages expansion and growth. No one escapes taxation. I venture the assertion that the consumer bears the burden, for it increases the cost of the manufacturer, the dealer and the landlord, so that he who wears clothes, eats food and lives in houses pays the bills.

We are fortunate in having an active Chamber of Commerce whose purpose is, as I understand, to better our city and encourage new enterprises. Nothing is more helpful, I believe, than for all of us to be boosters and to treat the manufacturers we now have fairly. Let fairness be our watchword. Fairness to your councilmen who are anxious to do your will, if you make it known to them and they feel it to be for the city's good. Fairness to all your officials, who are striving to do their duty. Give them strength and encouragement by letting them know you appreciate their efforts and are with them. Fairness to everyone, that our city may be attractive to the manufacturer, the laborer and the home-maker.

Gentlemen of the Council:

I congratulate you and sympathize with you. Congratulate, because it is good to have our fellowmen entrust us with this responsibility, even though they may know, by close acquaintance, our limitations. Sympathize with you, because of the impossibility of accomplishing all we desire. We cannot please all, for the very thing that is too small for one group is quite sure to be too large for another group. Perhaps we can occupy the middle ground. In the path of duty we will sometimes have to say "No" when inclination would lead us to say "Yes." As we become acquainted with the city's needs we can, I hope, supply them.

Our first duty is the election of officers.

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

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### CITY COUNCIL.

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#### Mayor.

Elected annually on the fourth Tuesday of November. Salary \$200 a year.

ELMER D. KELLEY.

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#### Councilmen.

Elected by wards for three years. One member from each ward elected on the fourth Tuesday of November annually. No salary.

	Term Expires.
<i>Ward 1</i> —JAMES H. GERLACH	January 4, 1926
THOMAS L. RILEY	January 3, 1927
BENNIE C. G. JONES	January 2, 1928
<i>Ward 2</i> —ALPHONSE LAGACE	January 4, 1926
ALBERT J. GARNEAU	January 3, 1927
EUSEBE P. LEMIRE	January 2, 1928
<i>Ward 3</i> —ALEXANDER B. HEBERT	January 4, 1926
JOSEPH W. SINCLAIR	January 3, 1927
WILLIAM H. MARTIN	January 2, 1928

**Standing Committees of the City Council, 1925.**

HIGHWAYS—GERLACH, RILEY, SINCLAIR.

SEWERS—HEBERT, LAGACE, MARTIN.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—MARTIN, GARNEAU, JONES.

POLICE—SINCLAIR, MARTIN, GARNEAU.

SCHOOLS—RILEY, LAGACE, GERLACH.

PUBLIC LANDS AND BUILDINGS—SINCLAIR, GARNEAU,  
GERLACH.

ORDINANCES—JONES, LAGACE, MARTIN.

STREET LIGHTING—RILEY, LEMIRE, HEBERT.

CEMETERIES—HEBERT, RILEY, LEMIRE.

CLAIMS—GARNEAU, JONES, HEBERT.

FINANCE—MAYOR, SINCLAIR, GERLACH.

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**City Clerk.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$1500 a year, including services as Clerk of Board of Assessors.

IRVING V. GOSS.

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**City Solicitor.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$200 a year.

EDWARD G. LEACH.

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**Treasurer**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$150 a year.

WILLIAM A. DUSSAULT.

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**Assessors.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$400 a year each.

ALVIN C. GILMAN

GEORGE F. GARNEAU

EDWARD L. WELCH.



**Overseer of the Poor.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$100 a year.

IRVING V. GOSS.

**Highway Commissioner.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$1800 a year.

JAMES C. NOWELL.

**Janitor of Memorial Hall.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$460 a year.

SQUIRE DURHAM.

**Tax Collector.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$525 a year.

CAMILLE J. NOURIE.

**Janitor of Heating Plant.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$920 a year.

SQUIRE DURHAM.

**Board of Water Commissioners.**

Two members elected annually by the City Council for three years. No salary. Salary of Clerk, \$200 a year.

	Term Expires.
DAVID T. ATWOOD	January 4, 1926
JASON KIDDER	January 4, 1926
HARRY F. DAVIS	January 3, 1927
EDMUND J. GARNEAU	January 3, 1927
DOCITE J. ROUSSEAU	January 2, 1928
IRVING V. GOSS	January 2, 1928

**Superintendent of Water Works.**

Appointed by the Water Commissioners.

HARRY E. LYON.

**City Physician.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$50 per year.

WILLIAM E. SMITH.

**Board of Park Commissioners.**

Established March 3, 1913. One member elected annually by the City Council for three years. No salary.

	Term Expires.
ARTHUR M. HANCOCK	March 3, 1926
EDWARD G. LEACH	March 3, 1927
MRS. HERMAN J. ODELL	March 3, 1928

**Board of Health.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary of first, \$200; second, \$50; third, \$25.

WILLIAM E. SMITH, Secretary and Milk Inspector.

IRVING V. GOSS,      HECTOR MORIN

**City Auditor.**

Appointed annually by the Mayor. Salary \$100 per year.

HOWARD KIDDER.

**Trustees of Public Library.**

Two elected annually by the City Council for three years. No Salary.

	Term Expires.
ARTHUR M. HANCOCK	January 4, 1926
WALTER F. DUFFY	January 4, 1926
MISS ANNA G. BLODGETT	January 3, 1927
MISS MARY A. PROCTOR	January 3, 1927
MISS MARY E. SCRIBNER	January 2, 1928
WARREN F. DANIELL	January 2, 1928

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**Tree Warden.**

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$200 per year.

JAMES C. NOWELL.

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**Surveyors of Wood and Lumber.**

Appointed Annually.

HARRY E. COLBY

LEWIS RUSSELL

GEORGE S. DAVENPORT

EDMUND J. GARNEAU

ARTHUR W. JONES

ERNEST H. SMITH

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**Purchasing Agent.**

Appointed by the City Council.

IRVING V. GOSS.

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**Trustees of Trust Funds for the City of Franklin.**

One elected annually by the City Council, for a three year term.

Term Expires.

WARREN F. DANIELL

September 13, 1926

RICHARD W. SULLOWAY

September 13, 1927

OMAR A. TOWNE

September 13, 1928

# POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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## City Marshal.

Elected annually by the City Council. Salary \$2000 per year.

JOHN MANCHESTER

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## Police.

Appointed by the City Council. Compensation \$4.00 per day.

LOREN B. GREELEY

\*LOUIS BASSETT

JOSEPH S. WILLIAMS

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## Special Police Officers.

Appointed by City Council upon recommendation of City Marshal.  
Compensation, \$4 per day when on duty, and fees.

HARRY E. COLBY,  
L. J. SEYLER,  
JOHN HANCOCK  
ALBERT H. MANUEL,  
EDMUND J. GARNEAU,  
ELERY C. BUGBEE,  
THEODORE HOWE,  
LEONARD C. LEIGHTON,  
VICTOR H. WARBURTON,  
LESTER W. TROOP,  
FRANK R. ROERS,  
ALGOT ELIASSON,  
EDWIN S. MORRISON,  
MARTIN STREETER,  
JAMES H. WARBURTON,  
FRANCIS CLAFFEY,  
ERNEST ELLIOTT,  
JAY R. SWEET,  
RALPH B. GRIFFIN,  
CHARLES H. BRACE,  
ARTHUR J. KELLEY.

\* Compensation, \$800 per year.

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**Franklin Municipal Court.**

**Justice.**

Appointed by the Governor and Council. Salary \$600 per year.

THOMAS F. CLIFFORD.

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**Clerk.**

Appointed by the Justice. Salary \$150 per year.

EDWARD L. WELCH.

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**Probation Officer.**

Appointed by the Justice. Salary \$100 per year.

WILTON E. CROSS.

## **FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

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One chief and two assistant engineers elected annually by the City Council. Salary, chief engineer \$150 and 75c per hour for services at fires; assistant engineers \$50 a year each and 75c per hour for services at fires.

### **Chief Engineer.**

HARRY E. COLBY.

### **Assistant Engineers.**

ALMEDOS ROUSSEAU

JOHN E. CUNNINGHAM

### **Firemen.**

Appointed by the engineers. Salary \$25 a year each, and 50c per hour for all services.

### **Hose Company, No. 1.**

CAPT. ALWIN C. DEAN, 10 men.

### **Engine Company, No. 1.**

CAPT. EDGAR H. WHEELER, 15 men.

### **Hook and Ladder Company.**

CAPT. ALBERT GARNEAU, 15 men.

### **Superintendent of Fire Alarm.**

Elected by the City Council. Salary \$100.

JAMES H. WARBURTON.

### **Blower of Fire Alarm Test.**

Elected by the City Council. Salary \$35 per year.

GILBERT G. FELLOWS.

## WARD OFFICERS.

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### WARD ONE.

Elected biennially by the ward.

*Moderator*—GEORGE S. DAVENPORT.

Elected biennially by the ward.

*Ward Clerk*—WILLIAM H. TURCOTTE.

### WARD TWO.

Elected biennially by the ward.

*Moderator*—FRANCIS T. DOUPHINETT.

Elected biennially by the ward.

*Ward Clerk*—JOHN TURNER.

### WARD THREE.

Elected biennially by the ward.

*Moderator*—WILLIAM H. MARTIN.

Elected biennially by the ward.

*Ward Clerk*—ARTHUR B. LEONARD.

### Ballot Inspectors.

#### WARD ONE.

FRANK MEAD  
GEORGE S. FRENCH

HERBERT E. PIPER  
HERRICK AIKEN

#### WARD TWO.

HECTOR MORIN  
ALBERT GARNEAU

EDWARD J. ROCHELEAU  
LESLIE BUCHANAN

#### WARD THREE.

HARRY F. DAVIS  
GEORGE H. BARTLETT

LUKE BERGERON  
WILLIAM BRYSON

### Supervisors of the Check Lists.

Elected biennially by the ward.

#### WARD ONE.

HARRY E. RICHARDSON,                      LEON W. DEARBORN  
GEORGE G. FOWLER.

#### WARD TWO.

ADELARD J. GAUTHIER,                      AIMEE BERARD,  
PHILIP ROUSSEAU.

#### WARD THREE.

BLAND C. REDMAN,                      ALEXANDER B. HEBERT  
FRED E. DURHAM.

### Board of Education.

One member elected annually for a three year term, at **special** meetings held for that purpose. No salary.

	Term Expires.
JOHN E. FINEN	January 4, 1926
ALICE M. SHEPARD	January 3, 1927
RICHARD W. SULLOWAY	January 2, 1928



## APPROPRIATIONS

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution relating to the appropriations for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:

That the following appropriations be made for the year 1925:

### APPROPRIATIONS 1925.

Interest:—

Water Debt Bonds .....	\$3,100 00
Water Works Note of March 1, 1916 .....	160 00
Memorial Hall and Sewer Extension Bonds .....	1,750 00
Nesmith School, etc. Bonds .....	1,050 00
Temporary Loans .....	1,000 00
Cemetery Trust Funds .....	1,125 00
Odell Memorial Arch Fund .....	160 00
Odell Park Cottage Fund .....	160 00
Central Street Improvement Loan..	600 00
New Daniell Bridge Loan .....	1,822 50
Junior High School Loan .....	2,790 00
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	\$13,717 50
City Poor .....	2,500 00
Fire Department .....	12,400 00
Highway Department .....	30,000 00
Sidewalks .....	300 00
Trunk Line Maintenance .....	2,800 00
State Aid Maintenance .....	5,585 92
State Aid Construction .....	3,874 99

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Garbage Removal .....	2,500 00
Sewer Maintenance .....	600 00
Playgrounds .....	250 00
Memorial Hall .....	1,400 00
Memorial Day .....	300 00
Public Library .....	4,200 00
Police .....	6,000 00
Salaries .....	5,300 00
Street Lighting .....	8,400 00
Public Health Nurse .....	1,700 00
State Tax .....	22,005 00
County Tax .....	13,024 54
Tree Warden .....	1,000 00
Incidentals .....	3,000 00
Schools .....	71,812 00
Hospital .....	1,000 00
Odell Park .....	500 00
Heating Plant .....	1,800 00
Central Street Improvement Loan .....	3,000 00
New Daniell Bridge Loan .....	2,250 00
Water Works Bonds .....	6,000 00
Junior High School Loan .....	4,000 00
Exchange American LaFrance Combination Trucks .....	3,500 00
Land corner of W. Bow and Central Streets..	2,500 00
Band Concerts .....	200 00

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\$237,419 95

Passed May 25, 1925.

Approved,

ELMER D. KELLEY, Mayor.

## FINANCIAL REPORT.

### VALUATION OF THE CITY OF FRANKLIN, APRIL 1, 1925.

3300 Polls .....	
Improved and unimproved land and build- ings .....	\$3,451,525 00
246 Horses .....	22,840 00
7 Asses and Mules .....	540 00
387 Cows .....	17,805 00
11 Other Neat Stock .....	360 00
87 Sheep .....	501 00
4 Hogs .....	80 00
5582 Fowls .....	6,031 00
41 Vehicles .....	2,850 00
10 Portable Mills .....	1,225 00
1 Boat .....	100 00
Wood, lumber, etc. ....	3,300 00
Gas Pumps and Tanks .....	9,750 00
Stock in Trade .....	1,482,872 00
Mills, Factories and their Machinery.....	2,727,642 00
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	\$7,727,421 00
Less Soldiers' Exemptions .....	32,410 00
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	\$7,695,011 00

#### Taxes Assessed.

State Tax .....	\$22,005 00
County Tax .....	13,024 54
Public Library .....	4,200 00
School Money by law .....	26,932 54
Bearing Money .....	4,894 96
To Meet Appropriations .....	124,000 00
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	\$195,057 04
Poll Taxes .....	9,900 00
National Bank Stock Tax .....	1,204 49
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	\$206,161 53

## EXPENDITURES.

Authorized by the City Council as shown by the books of  
the City Clerk.

### Monthly Drafts

February .....	\$15,560 69
March .....	12,748 15
April .....	23,799 06
May .....	14,230 73
June .....	16,885 26
July .....	18,303 35
August .....	60,756 44
September .....	78,520 09
October .....	33,351 32
November .....	16,246 86
December .....	49,212 61
December 15th .....	29,630 68
	\$369,245 24

### ITEMIZED STATEMENT.

#### Interest.

1925.

May 25, Total Appropriations, .....	\$13,717 50
Received from Franklin National Bank, interest on loans .....	411 67

Paid—

1907 Bonds .....	\$1,050 00
1908 Bonds .....	1,750 00
Water Works Bonds .....	3,100 00
Temporary Loans .....	879 36
Water Works Note of March 1, 1916 .....	160 00
Odell Memorial Arch Fund .....	160 00
Odell Park Cottage Fund...	160 00
Central Street Improvement Loan .....	600 00
Cemetery Trust Funds .....	1,100 67
New Daniell Bridge Loan...	1,822 50
Junior High School Loan...	2,790 00
Balance to Transfer Account unexpended .....	556 64

\$14,129 17	\$14,129 17
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## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

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### HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

To the Mayor and City Council of Franklin:

I herewith submit a report of the work done in connection with the Highway Department during the year 1925.

The outside roads were gone over with the road machine and were dragged several times during the season when weather conditions were favorable.

#### Bridges.

Extensive repairs were made on the Republican Bridge, including the erection of a concrete and steel pier under the long span at the east end of the bridge and re-enforcing the floor timbers the entire length of the other spans. I consider the bridge to be in a safe condition for ordinary loads for several years.

#### Streets.

Pine street from Prospect street to Elm avenue was re-graded, dressed with crushed stone and finished with an application of modified asphalt, the roadway is 850 feet in length and 21 feet wide.

South Main street for a distance of 2000 feet, Webster street for a distance of 700 feet and Cheney street for a distance of 1000 feet were scarified, redressed with crushed stone, and covered with two coats of Tarvia B and sand.

Bow, Elkins, Spring and West High Streets and Elm avenue, a total distance of 5700 feet were treated with a coat of Tarvia B and sand.

The road at the head of Webster Lake was widened, graded and covered with gravel for a distance of 2000 feet.

### **Sidewalks.**

A new concrete sidewalk, 850 feet in length, and 5 feet in width was constructed on Pine street and a new walk 150 feet in length was constructed on Pearl street. Other concrete walks have been repaired and recovered.

### **State Aid Construction.**

Work was continued on the State Aid road from the Daniel Webster Birthplace to South Main street and the gravel roadway for a distance of 2200 feet was finished the present year and all the necessary culverts and headers were constructed.

### **Trunk Line Maintenance.**

Three and one-fifth miles of the road from Franklin to the Andover line was scarified, redressed with gravel and treated with three coats of Tarvia B and sand.

### **State Aid Maintenance.**

The Hill road for a distance of 5 2-5 miles was scarified, redressed with gravel and treated with three coats of Tarvia B and sand.

The entire length of the State Aid road to Sanbornton, a distance of 3 1-5 miles was treated with two coats of Tarvia B and sand.

### **Garbage Removal.**

Early in the summer notice was given by the State Board of Health that unless the Webster Lake dump was better taken care of, the dumping of garbage at that place must be discontinued. It was thought best to keep a man at the dump during all the working days and the plan worked

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out to the satisfaction of everybody concerned, including the complainants. For about six months all the swill and table refuse has been collected from the residences on Saturday of each week. This added collection increased the expense of the department, but was greatly appreciated by the householders, and no doubt removed a menace to public health.

JAMES C. NOWELL, Commissioner.

**Auto Trucks, Horses, Carts, Tools, Etc., in Highway  
Department as Estimated December 31, 1925.**

2 Ford Trucks .....	\$800 00
1 G. M. C. Auto Truck .....	400 00
5 Horses .....	600 00
3 Two horse sleds .....	75 00
1 One horse sled .....	15 00
3 Two horse carts .....	220 00
2 Garbage Wagons .....	100 00
1 Street Sprinkler .....	125 00
2 Road Machines .....	400 00
4 Snow Rollers .....	240 00
7 Snow Plows .....	210 00
1 Wheel harrow .....	20 00
1 Mud Scraper .....	40 00
1 Macadam Harrow .....	10 00
1 Iron Scraper .....	3 00
2 Plows .....	25 00
1 Street Sweeper .....	10 00
5 Road Drags (wood) .....	100 00
1 Road Drag (iron) .....	15 00
2 Sets Double Harness .....	80 00
Extra parts harness and collars .....	30 00
2 Tons hay .....	50 00
Shavings for bedding .....	10 00
Sulphur, ginger, etc., for horses .....	2 00
Curry combs, cards and brushes .....	3 00
2 Pair feed bags .....	3 00
4 Hay forks .....	2 00
2 Barn brooms .....	1 00
1 Wagon Jack .....	1 75
Halters, blankets, whiffletrees and neck yokes .....	45 00
1 Steam roller and scarifier .....	1,500 00
1 Crusher plant with engine .....	1,000 00
2 Hand tampers .....	3 00
1 Steam drill and drills .....	70 00
1 Steam pump .....	25 00
4 Wheel barrows .....	10 00
Tractor with saw .....	450 00
1 Two wheel cart .....	25 00



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2	Small hand saws .....	2 00
30	Brace Jacks for ditches .....	30 00
750	Feet 3-8 inch rope .....	12 00
1	Tin funnel .....	50
1	Gasoline tank .....	50 00
2	Bush scythes and snathes .....	3 00
25	Empty tar barrels .....	9 00
½	Ton calcium chloride .....	12 00
5	Lantern globes .....	80
2	Scythe stones .....	50
2	Cold chisels .....	70
1	10-foot measuring stick .....	1 00
1	Nail puller .....	1 00
	C. L. Best tractor, Sargent plow .....	4,000 00
1	Large set pulley blocks and ropes .....	10 00
2	Three legged hoists .....	5 00
1	Tar kettle .....	75 00
350	Feet old fire hose .....	35 00
150	Feet 1 3-4 inch rubber hose .....	105 00
	Stoves and office furniture .....	30 00
6	Cable chains .....	15 00
4	Bridle chains .....	4 00
3	Street sweeper's carts .....	20 00
15	Street brushes .....	7 00
2	Sand screens .....	5 00
1	Grindstone .....	3 00
4	Tool boxes .....	20 00
20	Round and square pointed shovels (short handle) .....	9 50
2	Square and round pointed shovels (long handle) .....	2 00
2	Scoop shovels .....	2 00
7	Iron rakes .....	1 50
20	Snow shovels .....	5 50
8	Grub hoes .....	3 00
11	Picks .....	11 00
3	Dung forks .....	5 00
6	Potato diggers .....	6 00
12	Small hoes .....	6 00
4	Manhole shovels .....	8 00
4	Axes .....	4 00
7	Steel drills .....	7 00

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1	Set pulley blocks and rope .....	1 00
2	Bush hooks .....	1 00
1	Small hammer .....	1 00
3	Stone hammers .....	2 50
3	Ice bars .....	1 50
2	Trowels .....	2 00
2	Cant dogs .....	4 00
3	Crow bars .....	5 00
2	Draw shaves .....	2 00
100	Gallons auto oil .....	48 00
9	Garbage cans .....	9 00
500	Tons stone .....	625 00
5	Lanterns .....	5 00
72	Sewer cleaning rods .....	14 40
1	Chain block .....	35 00
1	Grass cutter .....	75
1	Ice cutter .....	75
2	Pair Bush cutters .....	2 00
2	Snathe and scythe .....	2 00
1	Bit brace and bits .....	4 50
2	Paint scrapers .....	50
½	Barrel bridge paint .....	40 00
1	Bushel basket .....	1 00
3	Plug drills .....	1 50
100	Feet steel corners for cement curb ....	5 00
40	Stone highway bounds .....	60 00
1	Cleaning worm for sewers .....	3 00
2	Self propelling nozzles .....	50 00
50	Loads sand .....	100 00
	Miscellaneous tile pipe .....	20 00
	Miscellaneous lumber .....	20 00
3	Metal culvert pipes .....	188 20
4	Water pails .....	2 00
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		\$12,504 35

### Corrugated Iron Culvert Pipe.

60	Feet in length of 18-inch pipe .....	\$108 00
680	Feet in length of 24-inch pipe .....	1,402 00
150	Feet in length of 30-inch pipe .....	486 00
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		\$1,996 00

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation ..... \$30,000 00

Received:—

Citizens of Hill, for use of tractor and plow, 1924 .....	30 00
J. H. Gerlach, for plowing driveway .....	2 00
R. M. Wright, use of tractor and plow .....	35 00
Town of Hill, use of tractor and plow .....	82 50
Tilton and Northfield, use of tractor and plow .....	60 00
Bristol, use of tractor and plow, 1924.....	25 00
Bristol, use of tractor and plow .....	65 00
Boscawen, use of tractor and plow .....	120 00
A. Leclair, for plowing driveway .....	2 00
D. T. Atwood, for plowing driveway .....	1 00
Laconia, for use of tractor and plow .....	260 00
Benson Auto Co., refunded, overpaid .....	5 87
A. L. Edmunds, for tarvia .....	8 50
State Highway Dept., for trucking steel drums .....	21 58
State Highway Dept., for gasoline and oil....	6 65
J. H. Warburton, for gasoline .....	1 56
George Barry, for crushed stone .....	3 05
Town of Hill, for coal .....	5 00
Davison & Swanberg, for crushed stone .....	60 00
For use of steam roller at Canaan .....	56 00
Carl Hunt, for stone dust .....	50
E. T. Drake, for stone dust .....	26 57
Trunk Line Maintenance, for tarvia .....	235 77
State Aid Maintenance, for tarvia .....	101 63
H. Rayno, for chopping block .....	1 00
Roy A. Hunt, for damage to fence near under- pass .....	20 00
J. H. Gerlach, for stone dust .....	25 50
Cash received for gasoline .....	1 00
L. M. Pike & Son, for stone and pipe.....	168 20
Kittredge Bridge Co., for stone .....	21 88
State Aid Construction, for posts .....	27 60
State Aid Construction, for pipe .....	122 40
Town of Northfield, for pipe .....	43 20
Tilton Electric Light & Power Co., for stone .....	12 39

J. P. Proctor, for stone .....	2 00
Overseer of the Poor, for sawing and truck- ing wood .....	97 50
E. D. Kelley, for dressing at city stable .....	25 00
W. E. Goss, for stone dust and labor .....	7 00
Beaton, Leach & Dunlap, for removing rubbish from Central House .....	50 42
Mrs. E. S. Edmunds, for drain in Edmunds Court .....	14 93
E. D. Kelley, for plow and harrow .....	50 00
Franklin Water Works, for gasoline .....	55 00
Geo. E. Clark, for stone dust .....	52 50
Transfer to Fire Department, gasoline .....	73 70
Transfer to Trunk Line Maintenance, trucks and teams .....	1,164 49
Transfer to State Aid Maintenance, trucks and teams .....	1,611 76
Transfer to State Aid Construction, trucks and teams .....	1,258 95
Transfer to Garbage Removal, trucks and teams	1,136 67
Transfer to Fire Dep't., lights for year 1925	28 88
Paid:—	
General Repairs .....	\$32,508 58
Snow Paths .....	2,913 89
Bridges .....	3,572 62
Balance to transfer account, over- drawn .....	1,707 94
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	\$38,995 09 \$38,995 09
Total expenditures for Highway Department	\$33,995 09
Less credits .....	7,287 15
Net expenditures for Highway Department....	<hr/> \$31,707 94

## HIGHWAYS.

1925.

Paid:—

Feb. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 20, 1924	\$388 30
	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 26, 1924	371 48
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 3, 1925	331 37
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 10 . . . . .	330 50
	Pay Roll, week ending, Jan. 17, . . . .	128 80
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 24 . . . .	58 69
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 31 . . . . .	31 62
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on castings . . . . .	4 23
	H. K. Grant, repairs . . . . .	15 85
	C. P. Stevens, supplies . . . . .	9 15
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	55 25
	Peter Dana, oats . . . . .	77 90
	Prescott's Garage, Mobile Oil . . . . .	40 13
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	55 25
	A. L. Edmunds, professional services for sick horse . . . . .	8 50
	Central Garage, 1 fender and labor..	19 00
	Foster's Garage, gasoline . . . . .	5 94
	H. E. Colby, repairs and labor.....	20 93
	G. O. Thompson, repairs . . . . .	28 10
	C. P. Stevens, supplies . . . . .	5 01
	Central Garage, parts and labor . . . .	15 70
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing . . . . .	28 75
Mar. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 28 . . . . .	244 33
	Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on 10 bbls. coal tar . . . . .	17 83
	Towne & Robie, advertising . . . . .	70
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	73 80
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., oats and corn . . . . .	97 95
	Benson Auto Co., repairs and gas . . . .	6 22
	L. H. Douphinett, planks and boards	189 04
	W. S. Gilman, kerosene . . . . .	3 55
	The Barrett Co., tarvia . . . . .	85 31
	Eastern Tractors Co., 2 castings for snow plow . . . . .	34 50
	G. O. Thompson, repairs . . . . .	3 00

	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	14 60
	H. K. Grant, repairs .....	9 10
	Central Garage Co., parts and labor .....	67 75
	Judkins & Wallace, labor and supplies .....	36 32
	H. E. Colby, material and labor ....	28 01
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	12 77
Apr. 6,	Pay Roll, week ending March 14 ...	275 39
	Pay Roll, week ending March 21 ...	313 28
	Pay Roll, week ending March 28 ...	294 84
	Pay Roll, week ending April 4 .....	250 79
	Boston & Maine, freight on 10 bbls. coal tar .....	17 05
	Seneca G. Hoyt, repairs .....	2 25
	Shepard Grocery Co., supplies .....	2 50
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on two axles .....	98
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	7 75
	Noyes G. M. C. Truck Co., two axles .....	38 37
	Lebanon Machine Co., red color screens .....	2 50
	Peter Dana, oats .....	87 23
	American Gas Accumulator Co., acetylene gas .....	11 51
	Herrick Aiken, iron roller .....	10 00
	J. W. Emerson, hay .....	63 38
	The Barrett Co., 10 bbls cold patch..	104 96
	R. M. Merrill, painting traffic posts .....	16 50
	Beaupre Bros. Foundry, one iron cast- ing, gear .....	16 00
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	8 53
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	22 40
	H. E. Colby, supplies and labor ....	13 86
	Motor Sales & Service Co., labor and supplies .....	12 60
	Benson Auto Co., supplies and labor .....	7 30
	H. K. Grant, repairs .....	16 95
	Central Garage, labor, tires and tubes .....	14 90
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., oil and gasoline .....	179 95
May 4,	Pay Roll, week ending April 11 ....	332 51
	Pay Roll, week ending April 18 ....	374 95
	Pay Roll, week ending April 25 ....	259 01

	Pay Roll, week ending May 2 .....	467 66
	Standard Oil Co., gasoline .....	71 50
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on grader blade .....	2 09
	Fred L. Hill, difference in exchange of horses .....	250 00
	Tropical Paint & Oil Co., street paint	40 68
	W. S. Gilman, supplies .....	1 38
	American Railway Express Co., freight on paint .....	6 73
	R. M. Merrill, painting signs .....	12 00
	Western Union Tel. Co., telegram...	88
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	29 00
	Gulf Refining Co., crusher oil .....	11 04
	Central Garage Co., repairs and sup- plies .....	56 05
	H. K. Grant, repairs .....	16 05
	L. H. Douphinett, lumber .....	54 96
	Elliott & Courtemanche, one cap.....	10
	Motor Sales & Service Co., parts and labor .....	22 30
	H. E. Colby, repairs .....	47 57
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	54 92
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	11 65
	Judkins & Wallace, labor and supplies	21 84
June 1,	Pay Roll, week ending May 9 .....	418 44
	Pay Roll, week ending May 16 .....	313 31
	Pay Roll, week ending May 23 ....	328 37
	Pay Roll, week ending May 30.....	149 83
	Tropical Paint & Oil Co., street paint	26 82
	Edson Manufacturing Co., suction hose .....	34 11
	Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., two brackets .....	9 11
	Berger Manufacturing Co., culvert and wheel .....	31 07
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	71 50
	Prescott's Garage, mobiloil .....	37 32
	Peter Dana, oats .....	93 03
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	74 75
	Frank H. Gerlach, labor and parts on truck .....	14 80

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	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	17 50
	Noyes G. M. C. Truck Co., connecting rod bearings .....	10 31
	Western Union Tel. Co., telegram...	74
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	25 39
	Granite State Motors Co., 2 tires for truck .....	75 15
	H. K. Grant, blacksmithing .....	3 75
	The Central Garage, repairs and parts	16 06
	H. E. Colby, blacksmithing .....	32 26
	Keegan & French, enamel, brush, and brooms .....	7 30
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press .....	8 34
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	10 20
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	64 48
	A. L. Edmunds, M. D. C., profes- sional services .....	33 50
July 6,	Pay Roll, week ending June 6 .....	457 01
	Pay Roll, week ending June 13 .....	490 50
	Pay Roll, week ending June 20 .....	662 45
	Pay Roll, week ending June 27 ....	672 30
	Pay Roll, week ending July 4 .....	690 41
	Tropical Paint & Oil Co., street paint	13 76
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., motor oil	25 39
	Boston & Maine R. R., freight on roller	52 70
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	156 00
	H. K. Grant, blacksmithing .....	3 60
	Acme Road Machine Co., plates and babbitts for crusher .....	21 92
	Northeast Metal Culvert Co., culverts	112 90
	Elliott & Courtemanche, repairs .....	4 23
	W. S. Gilman, incidentals .....	3 06
	Berger Manufacturing Co., culverts..	112 11
	Holmes & Nelson Co., towel .....	39
	H. I. Dallman Co., street brooms ...	19 83
	A. A. Beaton, M. D., professional ser- vices rendered Mr. Ray Wescott	7 00
	J. W. Emerson, hay .....	53 50
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on paint, parts for G. M. C. and crusher .....	5 70



	Lloyd & Mann, surveying.....	33	78
	Western Union Tel. Co., telegram..		74
	Towne & Robie, signs for Summit St.	2	75
	Lebanon Machine Co., globe, lamp and holder for traffic beacon .....	30	40
	George E. Clark, stone .....	50	98
	Charles B. Dole, stone .....	458	20
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	21	50
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	30	18
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	13	02
	Motor Sales & Service Co., repairs and supplies .....	102	16
	H. E. Colby, blacksmithing .....	12	52
	Noyes G. M. C. Truck Co., drive shaft and universal joint for G. M. C.	33	32
	Prescott's Garage, repairs .....	24	20
	Benson Auto Co., repairs and supplies	33	13
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	25	70
	W. H. Martin, repairs .....	130	80
Aug. 3,	Pay Roll, week ending July 11 .....	510	24
	Pay Roll, week ending July 18 ....	663	01
	Pay Roll, week ending July 25 .....	703	22
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 1 .....	589	44
	L. H. Douphinett, planks .....	106	47
	H. K. Grant, blacksmithing .....	10	60
	Frank Hawkins, stone .....	44	70
	Noyes G. M. C. Truck Co., oil pumps	3	16
	Gulf Refining Co., gasoline .....	8	36
	Tropical Paint & Oil Co., street paint	13	76
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on paint .....	2	48
	Northeast Metal Culvert Co., culverts	56	45
	Acme Road Machinery Co., adj. plate for crusher .....	7	00
	Western Union Tel. Co., telegram...		81
	H. E. Colby, blacksmithing .....	10	79
	Walter Dow, hay .....	17	64
	H. Dion, hay .....	10	03
	Beaupre Bros. Foundry, iron castings	42	98
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	1	55
	Benson Auto Co., repairs .....	1	25
	Elliott & Courtemanche, repairs ....	44	12

	Boston & Maine R. R., freight .....	6 75
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	39 85
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	24 34
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., whole corn and oats .....	129 61
	Standard Oil Co., gasoline and oil...	262 77
	Central Garage, repairs .....	42 00
	Motor Sales & Service Co., parts and labor .....	188 45
	L. H. Doughtinett, lumber and planks	264 05
Sept. 9,	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 8 .....	438 45
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 15 .....	442 65
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 22 .....	445 05
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 29 .....	442 33
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 5 .....	389 45
	The Barrett Co., tarvia B .....	463 41
	Leonard C. Leighton, stone .....	30 21
	Boston & Maine R. R., demurrage on car of tarvia .....	5 00
	L. J. Cherrier, flue brush .....	30
	W. S. Gilman, kerosene .....	1 46
	Dion Bros., coal .....	23 75
	Prescott's Garage, tires, tubes and labor .....	38 40
	Henry L. Emery, repairing saw ....	4 54
	H. E. Colby, one whiffletree .....	1 50
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	12 28
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	9 90
	The Barrett Co., Tarvia B .....	1,371 94
	H. K. Grant, blacksmithing .....	3 85
	Charles B. Dole, stone .....	29 26
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	6 25
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	18 84
	Motor Sales & Service Co., repairs ..	61 90
	Elliott & Courtemanche, repairs ....	33 55
	D. W. Courtemanche, repairs .....	38 95
	Peter Dana, oats and corn .....	11 38
	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline	175 15
Oct. 5,	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 12 ....	449 46
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 19 ....	460 53
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 26 ....	239 56
	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 3 .....	224 53

American Gas Accumulator Co., re- flector .....		45 00
Granite State Motors Co., 2 tires for truck and labor .....		120 27
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., motor oil		25 39
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline		130 00
Benson Auto Co., casing and tube ...		23 90
E. C. Melendy, repairing tire and tube		3 35
Ford Exchange Garage, repairing top on G. M. C. ....		10 50
Louis Durgin, hay .....		28 71
Clarence Shaw, stone .....		31 00
Peter Dana, oats .....		67 65
Keegan & French, belt lacing and tape		1 00
H. K. Grant, blacksmithing .....		3 65
G. O. Thompson, supplies .....		4 05
E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....		28 75
Chadwick & Kidder, lumber .....		4 29
L. M. Pike & Sons, asphalt roadways and gutters .....		3,016 13
Motor Sales & Service Co., supplies and labor .....		73 91
Leonard C. Leighton, stone .....		20 24
American Railway Express Co., ex- press on parts for G. M. C. truck		1 29
Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coal, bran and corn .....		32 40
C. P. Stevens, supplies .....		25 86
Elliott & Courtemanche, repairs ....		18 40
A. L. Edmunds, M. D. C., professional services and medicine for sick horse .....		68 00
Noyes G. M. C. Truck Co., emergency brake quadrant and pawl .....		3 00
Nov. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 10 .....	186 93
	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 17 ....	169 48
	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 24 ....	169 81
	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 31 ....	136 83
Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., corn, oats and bran .....		69 95
H. K. Grant, sharpening picks and drills .....		6 90

	Standard Oil Co., gasoline and oil ..	213 89
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	6 10
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	9 60
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	4 64
	Noyes G. M. C. Truck Co., worm-wheel, shaft, bearings, caps and rivets .....	121 09
	L. J. Cherrier, 1 stove and pipe ....	31 75
	E. C. Melendy, repairing tire and tube	3 00
	Motor Sales & Service Co., repairs and parts .....	198 51
Dec. 7,	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 7 .....	151 45
	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 14 .....	227 83
	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 21 ....	244 47
	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 28 ....	246 19
	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 5 ....	287 53
	American Railway Express Co., express on upper casting and entire top for traffic beacon .....	78
	American Railway Express Co., express on parts for G. M. C. truck.	1 41
	American Gas Accumulator Co., 1 tank gas .....	13 20
	E. C. Melendy, repairing tire .....	3 75
	Peter Dana, oats and whole corn ....	10 23
	W. S. Gilman, kerosene, potash and lime .....	4 55
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	9 10
	W. S. Stewart, supplies .....	4 81
	Charles M. Emery, shavings .....	6 00
	H. K. Grant, blacksmithing .....	5 35
	E. G. Colby, blacksmithing .....	33 35
	Benson Auto Co., labor on G. M. C. truck .....	5 75
	Chas. A. Hoagland, repairing radiator on truck .....	3 00
	Frank H. Gerlach, repairs and parts	150 41
	Griffin Drug Co., supplies .....	8 55
	Standard Oil Co., gasoline and oil..	193 60
	A. C. Elliott, repairs and parts .....	65 32
	A. L. Edmunds, M. D. C., professional services for sick horse .....	74 00

	Niles Machine Co., mercury tube and repairs for flasher .....	28 00
	Noyes Motor Truck & Coach Co., worm shaft bearing, caps and cones .....	26 05
Dec. 15,	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 12 ....	485 20
	M. D. Woodard, work on posts ....	3 60
	Judkins & Wallace, supplies .....	4 85
	Chadwick & Kidder, shingle .....	2 25
	E. C. Melendy, repairing tire .....	3 25
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	4 25
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	1 80
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., oats ...	3 20
	Peter Dana, oats .....	3 30
	H. K. Grant, repairing bush cutter and saw frame .....	2 60
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	19 35
	Central Garage Co., repairs and parts	30 29
	James C. Nowell, salary as Highway Commissioner to Dec. 31, 1925..	1,800 00
	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for year .....	53 67
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights and lamps, year 1925 .....	61 66
	Transfer from Fire Dept., hose, etc.	62 25
		<u>\$32,508 58</u>

### SNOW PATHS.

1925. Paid:—

Feb. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 20, 1924	\$8 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 16, 1925	143 25
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 24 ....	478 39
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 31 ....	455 17
Mar. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 7 ....	508 07
	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 14 ....	390 57
	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 21 ....	356 97
	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 28 ....	150 85
Apr. 6,	Pay Roll, week ending March 7 ....	338 12
	Pay Roll, week ending March 14 ....	84 50
		<u>\$2,913 89</u>

## BRIDGES.

1925.

Paid:—

Feb.	2,	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	\$4 25
Apr.	6,	Pay Roll, week ending Mar 21, 1925 .....	43 50
May	4,	E. G. & E. W. Leach, insurance .....	25 00
June	1,	Pay Roll, week ending May 16, 1925 .....	3 56
July	6,	Pay Roll, week ending June 6 .....	5 23
		Pay Roll, week ending June 20 .....	15 20
		Pay Roll, week ending June 27 .....	49 03
		Pay Roll, week ending July 4 .....	112 50
		C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	1 76
		H. K. Grant, blacksmithing .....	1 25
		Russell & Foster, lumber .....	19 50
Aug.	3,	Pay Roll, week ending July 11....	156 59
		Pay Roll, week ending July 18 .....	132 75
		Pay Roll, week ending July 25.....	50 70
		Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 1 .....	6 40
		Russell & Foster, lumber .....	6 69
		E. Wilbur French, sky lights .....	75 00
		C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	13 66
Sept.	9,	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 8 .....	7 75
		George E. Clark, planks .....	21 00
		C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	80
Oct.	5,	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	1 50
		E. G. & E. W. Leach, insurance .....	62 50
Nov.	2,	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 31 .....	7 50
		C. P. Stevens, 5 lbs. nails .....	25
		Kittredge Bridge Co., steel and concrete support for Republican Bridge .....	2,730 00
Dec.	7,	E. G. & E. W. Leach, insurance .....	18 75
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			\$3,572 62

## SIDEWALKS.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation ..... \$300 00

Received:—

Assessments for concrete  
work as follows:

Mary Welters .....	9 66
Mitchell Sisters .....	45 14
Ernest Murphy .....	20 83
O. J. Kelley .....	20 83
Henry T. Blake .....	30 90
Martin Nelson, Est. ....	20 14
Henry Proulx .....	38 19
John L. Flanders .....	33 33
J. Cole, Est. ....	20 83
Mrs. W. W. Buchanan...	6 00
David Murray .....	20 83
Charles Tousignant .....	20 00
L. J. Seyler .....	27 78
Margaret O'Doherty ....	32 98
Anthony O'Doherty .....	38 19
Int. Paper Co. ....	69 37
Eugene Routhier .....	27 78
Hortense Dussault .....	8 88
W. H. Davenport .....	24 37
Mrs. Geo. H. Barnes ....	27 78
Harold Whiteley .....	36 98
E. A. Colburn .....	23 26
M. L. Stevens .....	43 40
J. W. Dresser .....	40 63
Alfred Rousseau .....	25 70
Unitarian Parsonage .....	54 51
A. Stiller .....	34 72
Emma Buchanan .....	9 97
Alvina Rousseau .....	34 72
Mrs. E. S. Edmunds ....	55 55
D. Barg .....	40 97
Earl L. Lawrence .....	17 36
W. E. Gregory .....	26 04
Hector Morin .....	25 00
Almedos J. Rousseau ....	83 33

Paid:—		
July 6,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 13 .....	8 95
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 27 .....	9 35
	Suloway Mills, bricks...	16 00
	C. P. Stevens, cement....	17 20
	Eugene Routhier, labor ..	176 57
	C. P. Stevens, supplies...	19 77
	Eugene Routhier, labor ..	49 08
Oct. 5,	L. M. Pike & Son, repair-	
	ing and constructing	
	sidewalks .....	918 84
	Balance to transfer ac-	
	count, unexpended .....	180 19
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		\$1,395 95 \$1,395 95

### SEWERS.

1925.		
	Received for permits ....	\$60 00
	Received for rentals ....	31 00
	Received of Eugene	
	Young, for labor ....	1 62
Dec. 15,	To transfer account .....	\$92 62
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		\$92 62 \$92 62

### EXCHANGE AMERICAN LA FRANCE COM- BINATION TRUCK.

May 25,	Appropriation .....	\$3,500 00
Paid:—		
Sept. 9,	American LaFrance Fire	
	Engine Co. ....	\$3,500 00
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		\$3,500 00 \$3,500 00



## LAND CORNER OF CENTRAL AND WEST BOW STREETS.

May 25, Appropriation .....		\$2,500 00
Paid:—		
Dec. 15, Sulloway Mills .....	\$2,500 00	
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	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00

## SEWER MAINTENANCE.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....		\$600 00
Apr. 6, Waldo Bros. & Bond Co. sewer cleaning rods...	47 78	
American Railway Ex- press Co., express on sewer cleaning rods ..	1 63	
May 4, Pay Roll, week ending April 18 .....	30 25	
Pay Roll, week ending April 25 .....	41 75	
Pay Roll week ending May 2 .....	15 25	
H. E. Colby, repairing root cutter .....	1 65	
July 6, Pay Roll, week ending June 6 .....	10 84	
Pay Roll, week ending June 13 .....	54 05	
Pay Roll, week ending June 20 .....	57 46	
Pay Roll, week ending June 27 .....	12 92	
C. P. Stevens, supplies...	10 03	
Eugene Routhier, labor ..	25 35	
Sulloway Mills, bricks....	20 00	
Beaupre Bros. Foundry, manhole grate .....	4 47	
Aug. 3, Pay Roll, week ending July 18 .....	8 32	

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Pay Roll, week ending		
July 25 .....	11	25
Pay Roll, week ending		
Aug. 1 .....	40	38
Beaupre Bros. Foundry		
iron castings .....	49	17
Sept. 9, Beaupre Bros. Foundry		
iron castings .....	30	41
H. E. Colby, blacksmithing		25
Nov. 2, C. P. Stevens, 100 ft. hose	58	50
Dec. 15, Judkins & Wallace, pump-		
ing out sewer .....	5	10
To transfer from Fire De-		
partment, hose .....	25	00
Balance to transfer ac-		
count unexpended ...	38	19
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	\$600	00    \$600 00

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### PLAYGROUNDS.

1925.		
May 25, Appropriation .....		\$250 00
Dec. 15, To transfer account .....	\$250	00
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	\$250	00    \$250 00

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### GARBAGE REMOVAL.

1925.		
Appropriation .....		\$2,500 00
Received:—		
From sale of tickets ....		234 80
Paid:—		
Feb. 2, Pay Roll, week ending		
Dec. 20, 1924 .....	22	75
Pay Roll, week ending		
Dec. 27, 1924 .....	26	50
Pay Roll, week ending		
Jan. 3, 1925 .....	26	50
Pay Roll, week ending		
Jan. 10 .....	148	75

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	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Jan. 17 .....	30 50
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Jan. 24 .....	29 02
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Jan. 31 .....	23 00
	H. E. Colby, iron and labor	9 85
Mar. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Feb. 7 .....	131 50
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Feb. 14 .....	26 50
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Feb. 21 .....	22 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Feb. 28 .....	26 75
Apr. 6,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	March 7 .....	136 54
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	March 14 .....	22 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	March 21 .....	22 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	March 28 .....	22 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	April 4 .....	22 75
May 4,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	April 11 .....	192 25
	Pay Roll, putting out fire	
	at City Dump .....	19 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	April 18 .....	64 25
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	April 25 .....	63 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 2 .....	32 00
June 1,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 9 .....	123 19
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 16 .....	22 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 23 .....	38 00

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	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 30 .....	7 50
	C. P. Stevens, supplies ..	2 02
July 6,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 6 .....	153 05
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 13 .....	22 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 20 .....	22 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 27 .....	23 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 4 .....	19 00
	Trimount Press, garbage	
	tickets .....	7 00
	Towne & Robie, garbage	
	ordinances .....	5 63
	American Railway Ex-	
	press Co., express on	
	tickets .....	41
Aug. 3,	Pay Roll, fire at city dump	10 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 11 .....	158 21
	Pay Roll, putting out fire	
	at dump .....	24 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 18 .....	45 75
	Pay Roll, putting out fire	
	at city dump .....	47 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 25 .....	40 47
	Pay Roll, putting out fire	
	at dump .....	28 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 1 .....	49 25
	Chadwick & Kidder, pine	
	sheath and door .....	39 94
Sept. 9,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 8 .....	123 70
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 15 .....	58 60

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	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 22 .....	59 00
	Pay Roll, putting out fire	
	at city dump .....	20 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 29 .....	53 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 5 .....	134 56
	Keegan & French, tacks,	
	and axe handle .....	60
	Gignac & Gerry, lunches	
	for firemen while	
	working at city dump	3 85
	Chas. B. Dole, drawing	
	building from Bow St.	
	to city dump at lake..	4 00
	Towne & Robie, signs ..	7 25
Oct. 5,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 12 .....	41 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 19 .....	49 25
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 26 .....	45 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 3 .....	45 58
	H. K. Grant, repairing hose	1 20
Nov. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 10 .....	175 12
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 17 .....	53 50
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 24 .....	49 50
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 31 .....	45 50
	C. P. Stevens, 2 potato	
	diggers and axe .....	5 34
	E. G. Colby, repairing	
	tailboard on garbage	
	wagon .....	5 60
Dec. 12,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Nov. 7 .....	164 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Nov. 14 .....	57 25

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Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 21 .....	43	83
Pay Roll, week ending		
Dec. 5 .....	139	12
W. S. Gilman, kerosene..	1	75
H. K. Grant, repairing		
garbage wagon .....	75	
Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 28 .....	42	45
Dec. 15, Pay Roll, week ending		
Dec. 12 .....	45	75
Keegan & French, glass,		
putty and labor .....	3	73
To transfer from high-		
ways, trucks and		
teams .....	1,136	67
Balance to transfer ac-		
count, overdrawn ....		1,896 73
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	\$4,631 53	\$4,631 53

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### TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE.

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Lia-		
bilities .....		\$101 67
May 25, Appropriation .....		2,800 00
Paid:—		
Apr. 6, Pay Roll, week ending		
March 14 .....	8	00
Pay Roll, week ending		
March 28 .....	16	70
Pay Roll, week ending		
April 4 .....	122	65
Boston & Maine R. R.		
freight on tarvia ....	34	32
The Barrett Co., tarvia		
cold patch .....	150	51
May 4, Pay Roll, week ending		
April 11 .....	34	85
Pay Roll, week ending		
April 18 .....	81	41

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	Pay Roll, week ending	
	April 25 .....	111 89
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 2 .....	27 55
June 1,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 9 .....	43 40
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 16 .....	85 15
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 23 .....	185 04
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	May 30 .....	486 84
	H. E. Colby, sharpening	
	harrow teeth .....	9 18
July 6,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 6 .....	390 89
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 13 .....	46 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 20 .....	53 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 27 .....	23 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 4 .....	15 50
Aug. 3,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 11 .....	53 75
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 18 .....	46 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 25 .....	23 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 1 .....	11 50
	C. P. Stevens, supplies ..	4 80
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed	
	Co., coal for roller ..	24 27
	Beaupre Bros. Foundry	
	iron castings .....	13 62
Sept. 9,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 8 .....	23 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 15 .....	104 50

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	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Aug. 22 .....	33	50
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Aug. 29 .....	296	77
Oct. 5,	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Sept. 12 .....	15	25
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Sept. 19 .....	23	00
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Sept. 26 .....	23	00
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Oct. 3 .....	7	75
Nov. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Oct. 10 .....	7	75
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Oct. 17 .....	7	75
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Oct. 24 .....	11	50
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Oct. 31 .....	77	25
	C. P. Stevens, 5 lbs. nails		25
	Chadwick & Kidder, lum-		
	ber and machine labor	4	83
Dec. 7,	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Nov. 7 .....	99	00
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Nov. 14 .....	42	25
	Pay Roll, week ending		
	Nov. 21 .....	24	20
	C. P. Stevens, supplies ..	9	85
	By cash from State High-		
	way Dept. tarvia ....		235 77
	To transfer from High-		
	ways, trucks and teams	1,164	49
	Transfer to State Aid		644 35
	Maintenance, due from		
	State .....		297 67
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		\$4,079	46
		\$4,079	46



## STATE AID MAINTENANCE.

1925.	
May 25, Appropriation .....	\$5,585 92
Paid:—	
Feb. 2, Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 20, 1924 .....	\$34 65
Boston & Maine R. R. freight on paint .....	84
Apr. 6, The Barrett Co., cold patch	113 30
Pay Roll, week ending March 14, 1925 .....	4 00
Pay Roll, week ending March 21 .....	10 60
Pay Roll, week ending March 28 .....	259 07
Pay Roll, week ending April 4 .....	342 27
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on tarvia ....	35 68
May 4, Pay Roll, week ending April 11 .....	316 10
Pay Roll, week ending April 18 .....	219 01
Pay Roll, week ending April 25 .....	288 75
Pay Roll, week ending May 2 .....	303 81
June 1, Pay Roll, week ending May 9 .....	161 87
Pay Roll, week ending May 16 .....	450 87
Pay Roll, week ending May 23 .....	359 22
Pay Roll, week ending May 30 .....	250 20
H. E. Colby, labor sharpen- ing harrow teeth .....	19 17
July 6, Pay Roll, week ending June 6 .....	27 75
Pay Roll, week ending June 13 .....	23 00

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	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 20 .....	11 50
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	June 27 .....	46 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 4 .....	36 70
Aug. 3,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 11 .....	9 55
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 18 .....	23 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	July 25 .....	46 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 1 .....	57 50
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed	
	Co., coal .....	22 82
Sept. 9,	Barrett Co., tarvia B....	1,369 04
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 8 .....	69 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 15 .....	23 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug. 22 .....	96 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Aug 29 .....	132 13
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 5 .....	87 75
Oct. 5,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 12 .....	61 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 19 .....	48 20
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Sept. 26 .....	48 40
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 3 .....	60 70
Nov. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 10 .....	46 25
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 17 .....	46 00
	Pay Roll, week ending	
	Oct. 24 .....	83 70

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Dec. 7, Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 21 .....	53	33
Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 28 .....	37	50
W. S. Stewart, dynamite	3	60
15, Transfer from Highways,		
trucks and teams ....	1,611	76
Transfer from Trunk Line		
Maintenance .....	644	35
Due from State .....		1,057 40
Balance to transfer ac-		
count, overdrawn ....		1,351 62
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	\$7,994 94	\$7,994 94

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## STATE AID CONSTRUCTION.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....		\$3,874 99
Sept. 9, Pay Roll, week ending		
Aug. 29, 1925 .....	60	33
Pay Roll, week ending		
Sept. 5 .....	15	50
Oct. 5, Pay Roll, week ending		
Sept. 12 .....	23	25
Pay Roll, week ending		
Sept. 19 .....	41	75
Pay Roll, week ending		
Sept. 26 .....	308	33
Pay Roll, week ending		
Oct. 3 .....	306	63
Nov. 2, Pay Roll, week ending		
Oct. 10 .....	202	93
Pay Roll, week ending		
Oct. 17 .....	246	57
Pay Roll, week ending		
Oct. 24 .....	377	08
Pay Roll, week ending		
Oct. 31 .....	347	47
Chadwick & Kidder, hem-		
lock boards .....	6	60
H. K. Grant, 2 bolts ....		20

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C. P. Stevens, supplies ..	24 68	
Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 7 .....	318 28	
Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 14 .....	246 04	
Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 21 .....	454 06	
Pay Roll, week ending		
Nov. 28 .....	82 61	
C. P. Stevens, supplies ..	3 10	
Chadwick & Kidder, lum-		
ber and machine labor	37 58	
W. S. Stewart, dynamite,		
caps and fuses .....	7 95	
Dec. 15, Transfer from Highways,		
trucks and teams ....	1,258 95	
Due from State .....		682 94
Balance to 1926 account..	188 04	
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	\$4,557 93	\$4,557 93

## **FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

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### **ENGINEER'S REPORT.**

The following report from December 31, 1924 to December 31, 1925 is submitted: The manual force consists of Chief Harry E. Colby and two assistants, John E. Cunningham and Almedos Rousseau. The combination chemical and pumper, 15 men, Edward Wheeler, captain. The Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, 15 men, Albert Garneau, captain. Hose Company No. 1, South Main Street, 10 men, Alwin Dean, captain.

#### **Location of Apparatus.**

##### **Hose Company, No. 1, South Main Street.**

One 30-foot ladder.  
500 feet  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch hose.  
One hand tub.

##### **Prescott's Garage.**

One automobile hose and chemical wagon, carrying eight pony fire extinguishers, 500 feet  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch hose, boots, coats and hats, nozzles, axes, etc.

Carries three men besides driver, and nine men going to brush fires.

One automobile combination, hose, chemical and hook and ladder truck, carrying 950 feet of  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch hose, one 40 gallon chemical tank with 200 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch chemical hose, and all ladders formerly carried on Seagrave Hook and Ladder truck, also extinguishers with extra charges, hose pipes, axes, gates, relief valve, stops, spanners, wrenches, coats, hats, boots and belts for 30 men. One cellar pipe, wire cutter, tin roof cutter, ropes, eight smoke protectors and one deluge set.

### **Central Fire Station.**

One American LaFrance triple combination truck.

There is at the Central fire station, 1400 feet of 2½-inch hose in good condition, also 850 feet of leaky hose that could be used in case of a big fire.

### **Hose 3, Central Street, Opposite Paper Mill B.**

One hand reel with pipes, wrenches, spanners and 400 feet 2½-inch hose.

### **Hose 4, Head of Elm Avenue.**

One hand reel with pipes, wrenches, axes, spanners and 400 feet 2½-inch hose.

One two-wheeled truck equipped with one 31-foot roof ladder, one 28-foot, one 20-foot and one 15-foot ladder.

### **Hose 5, Pearl Street, Near Park Street.**

One hand reel with pipes, wrenches, axes, spanners and 400 feet 2½-inch hose.

### **Hose 6, Sturtevant Street.**

One hand reel with pipes, wrenches, axes, spanners and 400 feet 2½-inch hose.

There is also one 55-foot extension ladder at the city stable.

Pony extinguishers to be used by any person for fire purposes in the vicinity of the places of keeping are in the following places: City hall 4, Franklin passenger station 1.

We have on Hose No. 1, 500 feet of hose.

We have on D. W. S. Chemical, 1000 feet of hose.

We have on H. and L. Truck, 950 feet of hose.

We have 500 feet loose hose in Hose No. 1 house, and 1400 feet in Central Fire Station.

### **Recommendations.**

We would recommend a new Fire Station as soon as practical, also a short term contract with Prescott Garage until such time as the City would buy more apparatus. Would recommend the purchase of at least 1000 feet of new hose, also a number of new alarm boxes.

HARRY E. COLBY, Chief,  
ALMEDOS ROUSSEAU, Ass't.,  
JOHN E. CUNNINGHAM, Ass't.,  
Board of Engineers.

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### Location of Boxes.

14. Webster and Main Streets.
15. Odell Private Box.
16. Depot and Main Streets.
17. Central and Main Streets.
21. Center of Bow Street.
22. South End of Franklin Street.
23. Paper Mill Square.
24. Glenwood Avenue.
25. Franklin and Central Streets.
26. Light and Power Co., Private Box.
27. Bow and Central Streets.
28. Front of Freight Depot.
29. Elkins and Grove Streets.
31. Prospect and School Streets.
32. Front of Dr. Adams' House.
34. Central Street and Pearl Place.
35. Pleasant and Orchard Streets and Myrtle Avenue.
51. Central Street and Glenwood Avenue.
57. Railroad Street.
112. North Main Street near Bristol R. R. Crossing.
113. Webster Street, near Commercial Machine Co.
114. Orphans' Home.
311. Highland Avenue and Beech Street.
312. Corner Sanborn and Proctor Streets.
313. Central and Lancaster Streets.

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### Engineers' Report.

#### Record of Fires, January 1, 1925 to December 31, 1925.

January 1. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Wilfred Tupper on Sanger street. No damage.

January 2. Still alarm. Chimney fire in the Baptist church. No damage.

January 3. Still alarm. Chimney fire in tenement owned by Charles B. Prescott and occupied by Mrs. W. Beaupre. No damage.

January 3. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by A. Blais on Central street. No damage.

January 4. Still alarm. Automobile owned by Rodney Griffin. No damage.

January 6. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Allie Griffin on Summit street. No damage.

January 7. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Benjamin Hebert on Orchard street. No damage.

January 7. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Frank Magoon. No damage.

January 12. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Ellison Ring. No damage.

January 12. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Mrs. Fred Carter and occupied by Raymond Emerson on Prospect street.

January 13. Box 34 False alarm.

January 13. Still alarm. Fire in tempering room at G. W. Griffin Co. saw shop. No damage.

January 15. Box 25. Fire in garage owned by Joseph A. Comire and occupied by Elliott & Courtemanche as Ford Service Station. Value of building, \$2000; damage to building \$2000; insurance on building \$1500; insurance paid on building \$1500. Value of contents, \$10,000; damage to contents, \$10,000; insurance on contents \$4000; insurance paid on contents \$4000. Loss on building \$500; loss on contents \$6,000. Cause, overheated furnace.

January 15. Fire in building owned and occupied by J. A. Comire as a store house and market. Value of building \$3000; damage to building \$2000; insurance on building \$2000; insurance paid on building \$2000. Value of contents \$6000; damage to contents \$5000; insurance on contents \$3000; insurance paid on contents \$3000. Loss \$2000. Caught from garage.

January 15. Fire in tenement owned by J. A. Comire and occupied by Perrin Hersey. Value of contents \$2800;



damage to contents \$1200; insurance on contents \$1000; insurance paid on contents \$850. Partial loss. Caught from garage.

January 15. Fire in building owned by Maxime Proulx. Value of building \$10,000; damage to building \$130. Insurance on building \$8000; insurance paid \$130. Value of contents \$2500. Partial loss. Caught from garage.

January 15. Fire in building owned by Hector Morin and occupied by Antonio Denoncour as storage and as a tenement. Value of building \$3000; damage to building \$2200. Insurance on building \$1500; insurance paid \$1500. Value of contents \$2000; damage to contents \$2000; insurance on contents \$1000, insurance paid \$1000. Partial loss. Caught from garage.

January 15. Fire in garage owned by Marion Hall. Value \$900; damage \$240. Insurance \$900; insurance paid \$240. Caught from garage.

January 15. Box 25. Chimney fire in building owned and occupied by Romeo Courtois on Central street. No damage.

January 16. Box 23. Fire in house occupied by Joseph Krause on Bow street. Caught in wood box. No damage.

January 17. Still alarm. Chimney fire at William Stevens on Salisbury road. No damage.

January 19. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by R. Wilder on Main street. No damage.

January 19. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by G. H. P. Perkins and occupied by Archie Mahan. No damage.

January 19. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Mrs. E. S. Morrison on Terrace Road. No damage.

January 20. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Willis Wells on Bow street. No damage.

January 22. Still alarm. Chimney fire in building owned by Omar A. Towne and occupied by L. J. Seyler. No damage.

January 23. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Charles Slack on North Main street. No damage.

January 23. Still alarm. Chimney fire in tenement owned by C. C. Kenrick Estate on Smith street. No damage.

January 23. Box 113. Chimney fire in house owned by E. Jutras and occupied by E. Jeanson on Webster street. No damage.

January 27. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by George B. Morrison Estate and occupied by Gilbert Hanks on Central street. No damage.

January 27. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Frank Parsons and occupied by Gilbert Young on South Main street. No damage.

January 28. Still alarm. Chimney fire in building occupied by Shepard Grocery Company as a store. No damage.

January 29. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Mrs. Abbie Sweatt on Webster street. No damage.

February 1. Still alarm. Chimney fire at Henry Keniston's on Andover Road. No damage.

February 3. Still alarm. Chimney fire at Mrs. Harvey Fresh's on Bow street. No damage.

February 5. Still alarm. Chimney fire at Alphonse Beaupre's on Spring street. No damage.

February 14. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Clifton Drugg on Maple Square. No damage.

February 20. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by George Morrison Estate on Bow street. No damage.

February 21. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Jim Shanclares at 77 Sanborn street. No damage.

February 25. Still alarm. Chimney fire in building used by George Clark as a stable. No damage.

February 26. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Arthur Marceau at 41 Elkins street. No damage.

February 27. Still alarm. Chimney fire in lodging house owned by Jason Kidder on Bow street. No damage.

February 27. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Reuben Morrill on Central street. No damage.

February 27. Four blows. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by A. J. Meany on New Hampton Road. No damage.

February 28. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Sherman Davenport in Lawndale. No damage.

March 1. Box 31. Fire in house owned by J. P. Proctor and occupied by D. D. Seamans on Prospect street. Value of house \$7,500; damage to house \$4,000. Insurance on house \$4,000; insurance paid on house \$4,000. Value of contents \$8,800; damage to contents \$3,500. Insurance on contents \$3,500; insurance paid \$3,500. Cause, defective wires.

March 2. Four blows. Fire on roof of house owned by Charles Currier on Smith Hill Road.

March 3. Still alarm. Fire in tempering room of G. W. Griffin saw shop on Memorial street. No damage.

March 9. Still alarm. Chimney fire at Manuel Bourdreaux on the plains. No damage.

March 9. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Charles Ford and occupied by Clarence Kimball on South Main street. No damage.

March 10. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Methodist Church and occupied by Rev. C. B. Hansen. No damage.

March 17. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Almedos Rousseau and occupied by Norman Andrews on Bow street. No damage.

March 22. Box 114. Grass fire at Orphans' Home. No damage.

March 26. Still alarm. Grass fire at Charles Slack's on North Main street. No damage.

March 27. Six blows. Grass fire on land owned by G. H. P. Perkins on South Main street. No damage!

March 27. Box 313. Test run.

March 27. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by City of Franklin and occupied by Frank Lafrance at Daniell Park. No damage.

March 29. Still alarm. Chimney fire in tenement owned by C. C. Kenrick Estate and occupied by Jane Huntoon on Smith street. No damage.

April 2. Still alarm. Fire in tempering room of Acme Knitting Machine and Needle Co. on Memorial street. No damage.

April 3. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Horace Wells and occupied by Carl Prescott. No damage.

April 4. Still alarm. Chimney fire in Leach and Proctor Block on Central street. No damage.

April 5. Box 22. Fire on roof of house owned by G. H. P. Perkins and occupied by Clayton Cross at 119 Franklin street. Cause, sparks from chimney fire.

April 6. Box 24. Grass fire on Will Carr Estate on Thompson Park. No damage.

April 6. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by E. G. Colby on Central street. No damage.

April 6. Still alarm. Brush fire on land owned by William Annis on Hill road. No damage.

April 6. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Hector Dion on Central street. No damage.

April 6. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by E. C. Bugbee on Maple Square. No damage.

April 7. Still alarm. Grass fire on land owned by Gardner Longfellow at Franklin Junction. No damage.

April 7. Still alarm. Fire on shed roof at International Paper Co. No damage.

April 8. Still alarm. Grass fire on land owned by Boston and Maine Railroad at Franklin Junction. No damage.

April 10. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Mrs. Benjamin Glines on Russell street. No damage.

April 14. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Clair Rousseau on Park street. No damage.

April 16. Box 313. Fire in house owned by Mabel Lowell on Clark street. Value of house \$5,000; damage to house \$3,200. Insurance on house \$3,500; insurance paid on house \$3,200. Value of contents \$2,000; damage to contents \$700; insurance on contents \$1,400; insurance paid \$700. Cause, overheated chimney.

April 20. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Emma Desjardin and occupied by William Trottier on Franklin street. No damage.

April 21. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Mrs. George Shepard on South Main street. No damage.

April 26. Still alarm. Brush fire on land owned by the City of Franklin on Prospect street. No damage.

April 26. Six blows. Brush fire on land owned by E. S. Edmunds at Webster Lake. No damage.

April 28. Box 21. Fire in tenement owned by Elmer D. Kelley and occupied by Henry Hawthorne on Bow street.

April 30. Still alarm. Chimney fire in building owned by Harry Pieroni and occupied by the Franklin Steam Laundry on Memorial street. No damage.

April 30. Still alarm. Chimney fire in block owned by Charles B. Prescott on corner of Webster and North Main streets. No damage.

May 2. Still alarm. Chimney fire at Morse Farm on River Road. No damage.

May 4. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Arthur Williams and occupied by George Aldrich on Pleasant street. No damage.

May 13. Still alarm. Fire in blower at G. W. Griffin Company saw shop on Memorial street. No damage.

May 15. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by William Stevens on Salisbury road. No damage.

May 16. Still alarm. Tar kettle owned by L. J. Cherrier. No damage.

May 17. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by International Paper Co. on Cross Road. No damage.

May 18. Still alarm. Chimney fire in block owned by G. W. Sawyer estate on Central street. No damage.

May 20. Still alarm. Chimney fire at Hector Dion's on Central street. No damage.

May 21. Six blows. Brush fire on land owned by A. J. Meaney on New Boston Road. No damage.

May 22. Four blows. Fire in house owned by Harley Sons on Smith Hill Road. Value of house \$800; damage to house \$800. Insurance on house \$500. Value of contents \$200; damage to contents \$200. No insurance. Total loss. Cause, unknown.

May 26. Still alarm. Fire in kitchen of house owned by John W. Gerry on Maple Square. Caused from gas stove.

May 29. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by E. L. Wallace estate and occupied by Frank Peabody on School street. No damage.

May 31. Still alarm. Brush fire at Thompson Park. No damage.

June 5. Still alarm. Fire in gas house owned by the Franklin Light & Power Company on Bow street.

June 5. Still alarm. Chimney fire in cottage owned by Dr. M. E. Sargent at Webster lake. No damage.

June 6. Six blows. Brush fire in town of Andover.

June 6. Still alarm. Brush fire on land owned by Mike Guliroski. No damage.

June 9. Still alarm. Fire in rubbish at Junior High School. No damage.

June 11. Still alarm. Grass fire on land owned by Boston and Maine Railroad. No damage.

June 18. Still alarm. Fire in grist mill owned by Franklin Needle Co. and occupied by Merrimack Fuel & Feed Company on Webster street. No damage.

June 18. Still alarm. Fire in leaves under end of Republican Bridge. No damage.

June 28. Four blows. Fire in barn owned by William Hunter on Salisbury Road. Value of barn \$500; damage to barn \$500. Insurance on barn \$300. Value of contents \$100; damage to contents \$100. No insurance. Loss \$300. Struck by lightning.

July 4. Four blows. Fire in farm buildings owned and occupied by Michael Usilka in the town of Northfield.

July 4. Still alarm. Fire at Webster lake on land owned and occupied by the City of Franklin as city dump. Cause, spontaneous combustion. No damage.

July 6. Still alarm. Fire in tempering room of G. W. Griffin Company saw shop. Cause, overheated oil. No damage.

July 7. Still alarm. Fire at Webster lake on land owned and occupied by City of Franklin as city dump. Cause, spontaneous combustion. No damage.

July 13. Still alarm. Fire at city dump at Webster lake. Cause, spontaneous combustion. No damage.

July 13. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Charles Prescott on North Main street. No damage.

July 14. Still alarm. Fire at City dump at Webster lake. Cause, spontaneous combustion. No damage.

July 20. Still alarm. Fire at city dump at Webster lake. Cause, spontaneous combustion. No damage.

July 20. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Arthur Marceau. No damage.

August 28. Four blows. Brush fire on land owned by W. F. Duffy and occupied by B. J. Jaquith as steam saw mill site. No damage.

August 28. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by C. C. Kenrick Estate and occupied by Paul Longevin as dwelling. No damage.

August 31. Box 27. Fire in house owned by Hebert Manufacturing Company and occupied by Wilfred Gignac. Cause, gasoline explosion. Damage \$25. No insurance.

September 1. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Edward McGlaughlin on Glenwood avenue. No damage.

September 6. Still alarm. Fire in Republican Bridge. Cause, lighted cigarette. No damage.

September 7. Still alarm. Fire in Republican Bridge. No damage. Cause unknown.

September 9. Box 114. Fire in Mack building owned and occupied by the New Hampshire Orphans' Home as a dormitory. Value of building \$40,000; value of contents \$4,000. Damage to building \$1,291.63; damage to contents, none. Insurance paid \$1,291.63. Cause, unknown.

September 22. Still alarm. Chimney fire at 154 Franklin street. No damage.

September 24. Still alarm. Fire in Republican bridge. No damage. Cause unknown.

September 27. Still alarm. Motorcycle owned by R. Proulx on South Main street. No damage.



October 2. Box 25. Fire in building owned by Dunlap, Leach and Beaton and occupied by E. C. Bugbee as a rooming house with a barber shop and pool room and restaurant on the street floor. Value of building \$20,000; insurance on building \$16,000. Value of contents \$5,000; insurance on contents \$3,800. Insurance paid on building \$16,000. Insurance paid on contents \$3,800. Damage to house owned and occupied by Charles H. Bean caused by collapse of walls of Central Hotel. Value of building \$7,500; insurance on building \$4,500. Value of contents \$3,000; insurance on contents \$2,000. Insurance paid on building \$961.00. Insurance paid on contents \$100.00. Damage to building owned by Shepard Brothers and occupied by Holmes & Nelson Company as a department store and valued at \$20,000. Insurance on building \$15,000, insurance paid \$1,244. Damage to stock of Holmes & Nelson Co. by smoke and water \$3,000.

October 5. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Sulloway Mills on Central street. No damage.

October 20. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Fred Laroche on Chestnut street. No damage.

October 20. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Charles Palmer on Prospect street. No damage.

October 21. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Frank Buczynski on Bow street. No damage.

October 21. Still alarm. Chimney fire in store house owned and occupied by C. P. Stevens Estate in rear of Sawyer Block. No damage.

October 24. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Horace Wells and occupied by Arthur Jones on Wells street. No damage.

November 8. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Herbert E. Piper and occupied by F. M. Piper on North Main street. No damage.

November 8. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by I. J. Kelley on Bow street. No damage.

November 15. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Fred Maltais and occupied by Floyd Pineo on Terrace road. No damage.

November 15. Four blows. Fire in farm buildings owned and occupied by John Ozog on New Hampton road. Value of building \$7,000; insurance on building \$4,800. Value of contents \$3,000; insurance on contents \$1,000. Insurance paid on building \$4,800; insurance paid on contents \$1,000.

November 16. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Albert Morrill on Main street. No damage.

November 16. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Louis J. Cherrier on School street. No damage.

November 18. Four blows. Fire in summer cottage owned by Annie Meisterfeld on Jones Intervale off New Hampton road. Value of building \$1250. Insurance on building \$1000. Value of contents \$600. Insurance on contents \$200. Insurance paid on building \$1,000; on contents \$200. Loss \$650. Cause, unknown.

November 22. Box 311. Fire in house owned and occupied by Eugene E. Young on corner of Pine street and Elm avenue. Value of house \$6,000. Insurance on house \$3200; insurance paid on house \$1400. Insurance on contents \$500; insurance paid on contents \$50. Cause, hot ashes in wood barrel.

November 22. Box 23. Automobile owned by Motor Sales & Service Company on Central street. Value \$150; insurance \$100. Damage \$25.

November 26. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Harriet Blake Estate and occupied by Leslie Boomhower. No damage.

November 28. Four blows. Fire in house owned by Wm. Irving and occupied by Lester Merrill on Salisbury Road. Damage to house \$500; value of house \$1500.

Value of contents \$700; damage to contents \$150. Insurance paid on house \$500; insurance paid on contents \$150.

November 28. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by John Wise and occupied by Carl Closson on South Main street. No damage.

November 28. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Edward Franklin on Central street. No damage.

November 30. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Ralph Raffaely on Central street. No damage.

December 4. Box 25. Ford car owned by Richard Mitchell in rear of L. J. Seyler's furniture store. Damage \$50. No insurance.

December 12. Four blows. Fire in barn owned and occupied by Lester Maxfield at Webster lake. Value of barn \$2000. Insurance on barn \$400. Value of contents \$1400. No insurance; loss \$3000.

December 13. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by John Wise and occupied by Ely Smith. No damage.

December 14. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Shepard Brothers at 71 Sanborn street. No damage.

December 14. Chimney fire in house occupied by Scott Tilton on Central street. No damage.

December 14. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by City of Franklin at Daniell Park and occupied by Frank Lafrance. No damage.

December 17. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Peter Dana in Dana Court. No damage.

December 18. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Reuben Morrill on Central street. No damage.

December 23. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Frank Prescott on South Main street. No damage.

December 26. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Leander Lalime on Anderson Avenue. No damage.

December 26. Still alarm. Chimney fire in Shepard Block on Memorial street. No damage.

December 26. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Edwin Sweatt. No damage.

December 27. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by O. A. Towne and occupied by George Shepard off Prospect street. No damage.

December 27. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned and occupied by Basil Saywiezc on Maple street. No damage.

December 28. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house owned by Charles Ford and occupied by Clarence Kimball. No damage.

December 29. Still alarm. Fire in ash barrel at William Darling's on North Main street. No damage.

December 29. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Albert Duckworth on Pemigewasset street. No damage.

December 31. Still alarm. Chimney fire in house occupied by Daniel Carey on Sanborn street. No damage.

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## REPORT OF ENGINE COMPANY NO. 1, F. F. D.

From January 1st to December 31st, 1925.

Total number of bell alarms answered, 26.

Total number of still alarms, 24.

Total number of false alarms, 1.

Total amount chemicals used, 415 gallons.

Total length of hose laid, 13,600 feet.

Total number of miles traveled, 206.6.

Total number hours pumping, 45.

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## HOOK AND LADDER, NO. 1.

Answered 26 bell alarms, 21 still alarms and one false alarm.

Used 575 feet ladders taking ice from opera house roof.  
Laid 2,950 feet hose.

## **Regulations of the Franklin Fire Department.**

Adopted December 20, 1909.

Section 1. The fire department of the City of Franklin shall be composed of a chief engineer, first assistant engineer, second assistant engineer, and a superintendent of fire alarms, who shall each be appointed by the city council; combination chemical and pumper company to consist of fifteen men, one hose company to consist of ten men and one hook and ladder company to consist of fifteen men.

Section 2. The chief engineer and two assistant engineers shall constitute a board of engineers and shall exercise the power of firewards.

Section 3. The chief engineer and each assistant engineer shall hold his office and perform his duties until his successor takes his oath of office.

Section 4. The City Council, for cause, after hearing, may remove from office the chief engineer or any assistant engineer.

### **Chief Engineer.**

Section 5. The chief engineer shall have sole command over all persons present at fires whether members of the fire department or not.

Article 1. He shall direct all proper measures for extinguishing fires, protecting property, preserving order at fires, and enforcing laws, ordinances and regulations regarding fires.

Article 2. He shall have charge of and examine into the condition of all fire apparatus, fire alarm system, houses and all fire department property and shall cause needed repairs to be made under the direction of the committee on fire department of the City Council.

Article 3. He shall certify all pay rolls and bills against the department and shall be responsible for the care of all property connected with the fire department.

Article 4. In the absence of the chief engineer the next engineer in rank, who may be present, shall have the power to perform the duties of the chief engineer.

### Board of Engineers.

Section 6. The board of engineers shall inspect and make themselves familiar with all shops, factories, hotels, tenement houses, public buildings, halls, churches and schoolhouses once a year, and study the location of all hydrants and generally inform themselves in all matters pertaining to their duties.

Article 1. They shall have control of all persons appointed to serve in any company of the fire department and shall have power to direct and control the labor of all persons present at a fire.

Article 2. They may from time to time make and enforce such regulations for the government of the department as they deem proper.

Article 3. They may establish such regulations respecting public safety, kindling, guarding, safe keeping, prevention, and extinguishment of fires, and for the removal of combustibles from any place, and the keeping or storing of explosives, as they think expedient, which shall be signed by a major part of them, approved by the Council and recorded by the city clerk, and attested copies posted in two or more public places in the city thirty days before they shall take effect.

(a) Penalties not exceeding ten dollars for each offense may be prescribed for breach of such regulations and such regulations shall remain in force until altered or annulled.

Article 4. They shall examine the qualifications and fitness of all applicants for membership in the department and no person, whose application has not been approved by a majority of the board of engineers, shall become a member of the company.

Article 5. At the first meeting in each year, after the qualification of the engineers, they shall proceed to elect, by a majority vote, a clerk of the board of engineers, a captain, a lieutenant and a clerk for each company, each of whom shall hold office until his successor is elected.

Article 6. Any member of any company may be dismissed from the department or from office in a company by two-thirds vote of the board present.

Article 7. They shall in conjunction with the annual report of the chief engineer, make recommendations as to the needs of the department.

Article 8. Every engineer shall cause any fire deemed by him to be dangerous, in any street or elsewhere to be extinguished or removed.

### **Superintendent of Fire Alarm.**

Section 7. The firm alarm system shall be under the control of the chief engineer, with direct supervision by a superintendent of fire alarm, who shall be elected by the Council.

### **Committee on Fire Department.**

Section 8. Article 1. They shall direct all repairs of the houses, fire alarm system, and fire apparatus.

Article 2. They in conjunction with the board of engineers shall hold meetings on the last Wednesday of each month.

Adopted December 5 and 19, 1910.

Amended May 20, 1918.

1. That the salary of the chief engineer be \$150 a year and 75 cents per hour for actual service at fires. It is understood under this arrangement that he shall not put in any time except for fires.

2. That the number of assistant engineers shall be two, and that the salaries of each shall be \$50 per year and 75 cents per hour for actual service at fires. Also that two alternates from the regular force be appointed by the chief engineer on January 1, to serve in absence of assistant engineer at a proportionate salary.

3. That the clerk of the Board of Engineers shall receive a salary of \$15 per year for his services.

4. That the members of the various companies shall each receive a salary of \$25 per year and 50 cents per hour for all services.

5. That the Superintendent of Fire Alarm shall attend to all repairs on the fire alarm system.

Under this head it is understood that he shall at all times keep the line clear of trees and branches and other obstructions and shall not receive extra pay except for manual labor; that he shall attend to the winding of all clocks and see that the house man at the Central Fire Station takes proper care of the storage batteries and switch board; and he shall see to the procuring of supplies for the whole system through the purchasing agent, with the approval of the chief engineer and fire department committee.



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

1925.		
May 25, Appropriation .....		\$12,400 00
Received:—		
H. E. Rainville, for sled..		25 00
Boston & Maine R. R., for fire on A. Clough's land .....		8 50
Boston & Maine R. R., for fire on Franklin Needle Co. land .....		3 50
E. H. Sweatt, for windows		2 00
State Treasurer, for forest fires .....		60 20
Boston & Maine R. R., for fire near Webster Lake		41 75
Town of Andover, for ser- vices of department ..		87 50
Transfer to Highways, hose and rope .....		62 25
Transfer to Sewer Main- tenance, hose .....		25 00
Balance to transfer ac- count, overdrawn ....		1,631 18
Paid:—		
General expense .....	\$13,450 55	
Fire alarm .....	896 33	
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		\$14,346 88 \$14,346 88

## GENERAL EXPENSE.

1925.		
Paid:—		
Feb. 2, Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 20, 1924		\$66 00
Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 27, 1924		66 00
Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 3, 1925 ..		66 00
Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 10 .....		66 00
Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 17 .....		66 00
Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 24 ....		66 00
Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 31 ....		66 00

	Prescott's Garage, repairs and labor	8 81
	C. P. Stevens, 1 snow shovel .....	62
	Benson Auto Co., oil .....	1 80
	Sulloyway Mills, carboy of acid .....	4 20
	Max Solomon & Co., mittens and caps	17 15
	Edwin H. Sweatt, repairing and shing- ling house on Pearl street .....	21 00
	H. E. Piper & Son, gasoline .....	6 00
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	16 10
	Towne & Robie, 2 time books .....	7 37
	Dr. F. J. McQuade, professional ser- vices .....	4 00
	S. E. Stevens, mittens .....	1 50
	Chas. A. Hoagland, repairs on ra- diator .....	6 50
	Gignac & Gerry, lunches .....	11 65
	S. O. Daigneau, lunches .....	7 25
	Harry Lord, substitute driver of fire truck, Dec. 16 to Feb. 1 .....	35 00
Mar. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 7 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 14 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 21 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 28 .....	66 00
	Prescott's Garage, supplies and labor	40 18
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	14 93
	L. J. Seyler & Co., oil cloth .....	3 51
	Franklin Light & Power Co., six 40- watt lamps, one 70-watt lamp ..	2 00
	Sulloyway Mills, soda .....	11 20
	E. M. Perkins, boots and socks .....	29 07
	J. M. Hardy, pipe, nozzle and straps	74 50
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	1 70
	Central Garage Co., 2 cans liquid-X	1 50
	Harry Lord, substitute driver of fire truck .....	20 00
	H. E. Colby, repairs and labor .....	17 87
Apr. 6,	Pay Roll, week ending March 7 ...	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending March 14 ..	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending March 21 ..	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending March 28 ..	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending April 4 ....	66 00

	Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., 500 feet hose .....	441 00
	Harry Lord, substitute driver of fire truck .....	20 00
	G. O. Thompson, one can cushion dressing .....	75
	American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., 15 fire helmets .....	101 25
	Globe Manufacturing Co., 4 fire coats	34 45
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	38 25
	Towne & Robie, 4 time books .....	14 74
	H. E. Colby, lumber, labor and paint	6 35
	B. F. Quindley, trucking .....	1 00
	American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., 8 fire extinguishers .....	82 08
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on extinguishers .....	2 29
	American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., 1 piston assembly, gaskets, 1 pis- ton pin bushing, washers .....	17 61
	Pay Roll, Engine No. 1, F. F. D....	930 00
	Pay Roll, Hook & Ladder Co. ....	676 50
	Pay Roll, Hose Co. No. 1 .....	656 50
May 4,	Pay Roll, week ending April 11 ...	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending April 18 ...	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending April 25 ...	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending May 2 ....	66 00
	Alwin C. Dean, posting forest fire signs .....	1 75
	Charles E. Douphinett, coal .....	38 24
	American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., extinguisher hose .....	13 40
	Prescott's Garage, truck tire gauge ..	1 90
	Dona Dorval, motorcycle tire and patching tube .....	10 60
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on extinguisher hose .....	48
	Harry Lord, substitute driver of fire truck .....	25 00
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	5 35
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	22 94
June 1,	Pay Roll, week ending May 9 .....	66 00

	Pay Roll, week ending May 16 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending May 23 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending May 30 .....	66 00
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps	2 50
	Central Garage, radiator cement .....	75
	E. M. Perkins, repairing rubber boots	1 25
	Gignac & Devine, lunches for firemen	8 50
	Alwin C. Dean, posting forest fire signs .....	1 75
	Fulton Paint Co., paint .....	30 26
	Dr. F. J. McQuade, to professional services to fireman .....	6 00
	Harry Lord, substitute driver of fire truck .....	20 00
	Boston & Maine R. R., freight .....	53
July	6, Pay Roll, week ending June 6 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending June 13 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending June 20 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, repairing ladders .....	38 00
	Pay Roll, week ending June 27 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending July 4 .....	66 00
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	15
	E. M. Perkins, rubber boots .....	5 40
	Chadwick & Kidder, lumber and labor .....	2 40
	Globe Manufacturing Co., firemen's coats .....	16 24
	Towne & Robie, tags .....	1 50
	Prescott's Garage, repairs .....	7 00
	Leslie Boomhower, services as fire warden .....	47 25
	E. H. Wheeler, services as substitute driver of fire truck .....	20 00
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	3 20
	H. E. Colby, blacksmithing .....	28 36
	H. E. Colby, services as chief to July 1	185 25
	A. J. Rousseau, services as Assistant Engineer to July 1st .....	67 75
	John E. Cunningham, services as As- sistant Engineer to July 1st .....	76 00
Aug.	3, Pay Roll, week ending July 11 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending July 18 .....	66 00

	Pay Roll, week ending July 25 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 1 ....	66 00
	Sulloway Mills, waste .....	12 50
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coal ..	21 88
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	1 95
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	1 25
	H. E. Colby, blacksmithing .....	7 39
	E. H. Wheeler, substitute driver of truck .....	25 00
	Seneca G. Hoyt, copper and labor ..	3 75
	E. M. Perkins, rubber boots .....	4 95
Sept. 9,	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 8 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 15 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 22 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 29 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 5 ....	66 00
	Towne & Robie, time books .....	14 74
	Prescott's Garage, supplies .....	2 20
	G. O. Thompson, supplies .....	2 25
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	1 16
	Edwin H. Sweatt, labor .....	29 25
	Wm. H. Martin, labor and supplies	6 88
Oct. 5,	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 12 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 19 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 26 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 3 ....	66 00
	Everett Wheeler, substituting for C. H. Brace .....	30 00
	E. H. Wheeler, substitute driver of truck .....	20 00
	Geo. B. Rogers, fire extinguisher ...	3 50
	Thomas F. Clifford, insurance on fire house .....	7 00
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coal ..	23 77
	E. M. Perkins, rubber boots .....	9 90
	American Railway Express Co., ex- press on gas mask .....	96
	Pay Roll, Engine No. 1 .....	689 50
	Pay Roll, Hook & Ladder Co. ....	798 00
	Pay Roll, Hose Co. No. 1 .....	471 50
Nov. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 10 ....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 17 ....	66 00

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	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 24 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 31 .....	66 00
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	15 86
	E. H. Wheeler, substitute driver of truck .....	20 00
	Gignac & Gerry, lunches for firemen .....	38 15
	J. M. Hardy, expansion rings .....	2 50
	E. H. Wheeler, substitute driver of truck .....	10 00
	C. H. Brace, substitute driver of truck .....	10 00
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coal ..	23 44
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps ..	2 00
	G. O. Thompson, 6 straps .....	5 50
Dec. 7,	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 7 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 14 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 21 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 28 .....	66 00
	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 5 .....	66 00
	E. M. Perkins, rubber boots .....	20 45
	L. J. Cherrier, labor .....	5 73
	A. L. Rogers, making cover for ra- diator .....	10 00
	Max Solomon & Co., mittens .....	11 00
	American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., suction hose .....	111 75
	Suloway Mills, oil vitriol .....	5 32
	W. S. Stewart, 1 flag .....	6 00
	Prescott's Garage, valve insides ....	35
	W. E. Dunlap, changing doors at engine house .....	242 50
Dec. 15,	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 12 ....	66 00
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	6 93
	C. H. Brace, substitute driver of truck .....	20 00
	C. P. Stevens, supplies .....	52
	Chadwick & Kidder, tarred felt and laths .....	3 60
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps and lights in Engine House ....	5 00
	H. E. Colby, repairs .....	3 70

H. E. Colby, services as chief engineer to Dec. 31 .....	118 50
Prescott's Garage, use of auto hose truck and auto combination truck for year 1925 .....	2,400 00
J. E. Cunningham, services as Assistant Engineer to Dec. 31 ....	61 75
A. J. Rousseau, services as Assistant Engineer to Dec. 31 .....	66 25
Central N. H. Tel. Co., services for year .....	124 09
Transfer from Heating Plant, coal ..	297 92
Transfer from Highways, gasoline ..	73 70
Transfer from Highways, lights ....	28 88
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	\$13,450 55

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### FIRE ALARM.

1925.

Paid:—

Feb. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 17 .....	\$7 80
	Pay Roll, week ending Jan. 31 .....	10 25
Mar. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 28 .....	27 50
	J. H. Warburton, supplies .....	12 40
Apr. 6,	Pay Roll, week ending March 7 ....	11 00
	Pay Roll, week ending March 28 ...	5 00
	Pay Roll, week ending April 4 .....	19 00
	Joseph A. Cleary, labor and material on indicator case .....	13 23
	American Railway Express Co., express on fire alarm box .....	1 06
	J. H. Warburton, supplies .....	1 93
	The Gamewell Co., register paper and fire box door bolts .....	31 25
	J. H. Warburton, salary as Superintendent to April 1 .....	25 00
	American Railway Express Co., express on fire alarm box .....	53
May 4,	Pay Roll, week ending April 11 ....	1 00
	Pay Roll, week ending April 25 ....	2 00

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		The Gamewell Co., repairing fire alarm box .....	6 64
June	1,	Pay Roll, week ending May 16 .....	6 50
		Pay Roll, week ending May 23 .....	7 00
July	6,	James H. Warburton, salary as Superintendent of fire alarm to July 1st .....	25 00
		Franklin Light & Power Co., current for fire alarm .....	37 50
Aug.	3,	J. H. Warburton, labor .....	5 00
Sept.	9,	Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 8 .....	21 20
		Pay Roll, week ending Aug. 15 ....	16 00
		Prescott's Garage, making keys ....	6 45
		Gamewell Co., transmitter .....	401 37
		Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 5 .....	4 40
Oct.	5,	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 12 ....	45 75
		Franklin Light & Power Co., cross arms, pins and braces .....	6 64
		Pay Roll, week ending Oct. 3 .....	22 50
Nov.	2,	J. H. Warburton, salary as superintendent to October 1.....	25 00
Dec.	7,	Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 7 .....	2 00
		Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 21 ....	2 25
		Pay Roll, week ending Nov. 28 ....	2 00
		Prescott's Garage, brass casting and labor .....	5 56
	15,	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 12 .....	18 12
		J. H. Warburton, salary as Supt. of of Fire Alarm, three months to Dec. 31 .....	25 00
		Franklin Light & Power Co., current used by fire alarm system .....	37 50
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			\$898 33
Less paid by Fred Brown, for labor			2 00
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			\$896 33



## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

### REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL

for the Year 1925.

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31st, 1925. There have been 119 criminal cases entered for the following offences:

Assault .....	6
Adultery .....	1
Breaking and Entering and Larceny.....	1
Beating Board Bill.....	1
Cruelty to Animals.....	4
Drunkenness .....	41
Derisive Language .....	2
Fornication .....	1
Failure to Return to scene of Automobile Accident .....	2
Gambling .....	2
Illegal Possession of Liquor.....	11
Illegal Sale of Liquor .....	2
Keeping Unlicensed Dog .....	1
Larceny .....	4
Mittimus Called For.....	1
Non-Support .....	3
Operating Automobile Under Influence of Liquor .....	14
Operating Automobile Not Licensed.....	5
Operating Automobile Without Lights.....	1
Starting Brush Fire Without Obtaining Per- mission .....	1
Street Walker .....	1
Transferring Automobile Number Plates....	3
Transferring Liquor .....	2
Violation Automobile Speed Laws.....	5
Violation Fish and Game Laws.....	4

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Respectfully submitted,  
JOHN MANCHESTER, City Marshal.

### MUNICIPAL COURT OF FRANKLIN.

The number of cases entered for the year beginning December 17, 1924, and ending December 17, 1925, was 120, which were disposed of as follows:

Paid fines and costs.....	42
Paid costs.....	8
Paid fines and costs and committed to House of Correction .....	8
Paid costs and committed to House of Cor- rection .....	7
Paid fines and costs, House of Correction sen- tences suspended.....	15
Paid costs, House of Correction sentences suspended .....	5
Paid fine and costs and furnished bonds to keep the peace.....	1
Committed to House of Correction.....	10
Bound over to Superior Court.....	4
Appealed to Superior Court.....	2
Continued .....	9
Nol-prossed .....	2
Defaulted bonds .....	2
Discharged .....	5
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	120
Receipts .....	\$2,557 30
Disbursements .....	614 74
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Balance to City Treasurer.....	\$1,942 56

EDWARD L. WELCH, Clerk.

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## REPORT OF PROBATION OFFICER.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of Franklin:

During the year 1925 only three cases were brought before the Juvenile Court, two of these being charges of breaking and entering and one of delinquency. These cases were disposed of by dismissing the charges on recommendation of your Probation Officer after two months of good behaviour on the part of the parties involved.

Cases reported to your officer which were investigated and settled out of court were:

Delinquency .....7

Children improperly cared for.....2

Wherever possible the cases of minors are settled out of court, so that the stigma of a police record shall not attach to names of youthful offenders. This is in accord with the spirit of the law as interpreted by the Probation Officers and the Attorney General of the State.

I want to commend the interest of Judge Clifford in cases of youthful offenders, and also the helpfulness of City Marshal Manchester and his officers.

Respectfully submitted,

WILTON E. CROSS,

Probation Officer.

## POLICE.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....		\$6,000 00
Received from Municipal Court, fines and costs		1,942 26
Paid:—		
Feb. 2, C. P. Stevens, flashlights and batteries .....	\$5 54	
G. A. Rennie, automobile	2 00	
Benson Auto Co., automobiles .....	5 50	
Gignac & Gerry, lunches for prisoners .....	4 05	
Main St. Pharmacy, flashlight battery .....	55	
Beaupre Bros., automobiles .....	2 00	
Mar. 2, Irving F. Goodwin, services .....	8 90	
Towne & Robie, search warrants and circular letters .....	20 25	
G. A. Rennie, automobile	2 50	
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights .....	13 40	
Benson Auto Co., automobiles .....	15 00	
B. C. Rounds, team.....	1 50	
Apr. 6, Towne & Robie, 500 envelopes, 100 warrants	27 97	
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights .....	6 46	
Frank A. French, use of automobile .....	3 50	
G. A. Rennie, use of automobile .....	3 50	
Beaupre Bros., use of automobiles .....	20 50	
May 4, Prescott's Garage, automobiles .....	5 25	

	C. P. Stevens, flashlight battery .....	25
	Gignac & Gerry, lunches for prisoners .....	8 00
June 1,	O. M. Ross, repairing lights .....	75
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps and lights	12 88
	Beaupre Bros., automobiles .....	5 25
July 6,	International Paper Co., flood light .....	27 63
	Thomas F. Clifford, salary as Judge of Municipal Court to July 1.....	241 66
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights.....	4 84
	T. L. Riley, batteries ....	1 22
	Towne & Robie, red tags	3 00
	Benson Auto Co., automobiles .....	6 50
	Wilton E. Cross, salary as probation officer to July 1st .....	50 00
	Edward Welch, salary as clerk of court to July 1st .....	75 00
	O. M. Ross, bracket, lamp, wire and helper.....	9 21
	Beaupre Brothers, automobiles .....	5 50
	John B. Varick Co., badges .....	7 50
Aug. 3,	George A. Rennie, automobile .....	1 50
	Beaupre Brothers, automobile .....	4 00
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights .....	7 32
	D. J. Rousseau, coats, caps and buttons ....	84 05

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	Benson Auto Co., auto-		
	mobiles .....	2	50
Sept. 9,	J. S. Williams, use of car		
	to Webster lake.....	1	00
	Benson Auto Co., auto-		
	mobile .....	50	
	Franklin Light & Power		
	Co., lights for police		
	station .....	6	72
	Gignac & Gerry, lunches		
	for prisoners .....	11	60
	Edward L. Welch, pre-		
	siding at Municipal		
	Court .....	45	00
	Irving V. Goss, presiding		
	Municipal Court ....	3	00
Oct. 5,	Franklin Light & Power		
	Co., lights .....	5	32
	John Hancock, services		
	as police officer .....	56	00
	C. P. Stevens, supplies..	30	
	Thomas F. Clifford, salary		
	as Justice of Municip-		
	al Court to October		
	1st .....	150	00
Nov. 2,	G. A. Rennie, use of auto-		
	mobile .....	1	00
	Beaupre Bros., use of au-		
	tomobiles .....	5	25
	L. J. Ch��rrier, repairs ...	80	
	Franklin Light & Power		
	Co., lights .....	4	60
	Gignac & Gerry, lunches		
	for prisoner .....	3	70
Dec. 7,	Franklin Light & Power		
	Co., lights .....	4	04
	Edward L. Welch, pre-		
	siding in Municipal		
	Court .....	6	00
	Prescott's Garage, use of		
	cars .....	9	60

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Joseph S. Williams, use of auto for police work .....	1 00
Alphonse Beaupre, auto- mobiles .....	8 25
W. S. Stewart, batteries and bulbs .....	4 15
Beaupre Bros., automo- biles .....	7 00
Benson Auto Co., auto- mobiles .....	3 00
Towne & Robie, letter- heads .....	4 25
Louis Bassett, police ser- vice, year 1925.....	800 00
John Manchester, salary as City Marshal for year 1925 .....	1,955 56
Loren B. Greeley, serv- ices as night officer, year 1925.....	1,526 00
George W. Burres, servi- ces as night officer for year 1925 .....	208 00
Loren B. Greeley, extra police service .....	77 75
A. H. Manuel, police serv- ice .....	78 00
Joseph S. Williams, serv- ices as night officer, year 1925.....	1,349 50
John Hancock, police service .....	2 00
Algot Eliasson, police service .....	7 20
V. Warburton, police service .....	14 00
Jay Sweet, police service	12 00
James Warburton, police service .....	18 80
F. Claffey, police service	4 80

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M. H. Streeter, police service .....	88 00	
L. Bassett, extra police service .....	90 62	
Central N. H. Telephone Co., services for year 1925 .....	122 29	
G. E. Clark, assistance...	5 00	
J. Williams, extra police service .....	2 00	
15, Thomas F. Clifford, justice of Municipal Court, three months to December 31 .....	150 00	
Edward Welch, salary as clerk of Municipal Court, six months to December 31 .....	75 00	
Wilton E. Cross, probation officer, six months to December 31 .....	50 00	
T. L. Riley, flashlight batteries and bulbs..	1 17	
Franklin Light & Power Co., searchlight on Buell Block .....	57 68	
Balance to transfer account, unexpended...	197 88	
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	\$7,942 26	\$7,942 26

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### MEMORIAL HALL.

1925.		
May 25, Appropriation .....		\$1,400 00
Received from rentals....		918 35
Paid:—		
Feb. 2, C. H. Bean, music racks	\$18 00	
O. M. Ross, repairing footlights .....	3 16	



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A. H. Manuel, police service, months of December and January	26 00
Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage December and January .....	24 00
Pay Roll, cleaning ice from roof.....	9 00
Thomas F. Clifford, insurance .....	49 00
R. M. Merrill, firing boilers .....	26 50
Mar. 2, Pay Roll, cleaning ice from roof .....	4 50
R. M. Merrill, cleaning opera house .....	2 75
Basil Rhodes, to care of stage, month of February .....	26 50
A. H. Manuel, police service, month of February .....	23 20
H. L. Powell, insurance..	35 00
H. A. Currier, insurance.	35 00
Clyde C. Brown, insurance .....	24 50
E. G. & E. W. Leach, insurance .....	88 20
Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps and lights	86 50
L. J. Cherrier, repairs...	2 05
Judkins & Wallace, repairs .....	6 46
Pay Roll, removing ice from roof .....	7 00
Apr. 6, Towne & Robie, floor plans .....	4 50
L. J. Cherrier, repairs...	2 40
Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage, month of March .....	4 00

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	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights .....	15 28
	A. H. Manuel, police service, month of March .....	2 40
	West Disinfecting Co., Inc., 10 lbs. disinfectant .....	1 20
	American Railway Express Co., express on disinfectant .....	46
	C. C. Brown, insurance..	24 50
	Keegan & French, one hatchet .....	1 25
	Shepard Bros., 2 brooms	1 90
May 4,	Charles R. Pease, tuning two pianos .....	6 00
	Arthur Duhamel, repairs in toilet .....	2 90
	A. H. Manuel, police service, month of April .....	13 60
	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage, month of April	10 50
	R. M. Merrill, cleaning opera house .....	3 50
June 1,	Pay Roll, cleaning off stage .....	2 00
	Seneca G. Hoyt, repairing sprayer .....	50
	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage, month of May	12 00
	A. H. Manuel, police service, month of May .....	10 80
	J. H. Warburton, one switch and labor ....	3 80
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights.....	41 60
	Keegan & French, supplies .....	5 28

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	O. M. Ross, repairing lights .....	5 76
July 6,	Fuller Brush Company, brooms and brushes .....	8 75
	Charles R. Pease, tuning pianos .....	2 50
	Arthur Duhamel, repairs in toilet.....	3 80
	C. P. Stevens, supplies..	1 90
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps and lights	17 54
	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage, month of June	7 50
	A. H. Manuel, police service, month of June .....	8 00
Aug. 3,	American Railway Express Co., express...	1 07
	John Hancock, police officer .....	1 60
	A. H. Manuel, police service, month of July .....	4 80
	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage, month of July	6 00
	West Disinfecting Co., disinfectant .....	14 85
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights .....	11 68
Sept. 9,	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage .....	4 50
	Albert H. Manuel, police service, month of September .....	4 80
	L. J. Cherrier, labor and supplies .....	4 19
	Chadwick & Kidder, pine sheath .....	15 54
	Towne & Robie, supplies	4 50

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	Keegan & French, sup- plies .....	8 58
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps and lights	11 60
Oct. 5,	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps and current	11 68
	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage .....	4 50
	A. H. Manuel, services as police officer.....	4 80
	C. P. Stevens, supplies..	1 44
	Keegan & French, sup- plies .....	3 09
Nov. 2,	Shepard Bros., broom...	95
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lamps, fuses and wire .....	11 20
	L. J. Cherrier, repairs....	80
	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage .....	15 00
	Albert H. Manuel, serv- ices as police officer	16 40
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights in Memo- rial Hall.....	26 04
	Francis T. Douphinett, fuses .....	52
Dec. 7,	G. G. Fellows, repairing clock .....	1 50
	Griffin Drug Co., paraffin wax .....	1 20
	L. J. Cherrier, repairs....	2 80
	C. P. Stevens, supplies...	40 75
	A. H. Manuel, services as police officer .....	5 20
	Basil E. Rhodes, care of stage .....	10 50
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights in Memo- rial Hall .....	14 52

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S. C. Johnson & Son, lamb's wool for mop.	98	
15, M. D. Woodard, repair- ing chairs .....	13	84
C. P. Stevens, one key...	30	
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights in Memo- rial Hall .....	31	76
To Transfer from Janitor Account .....	460	00
To Transfer from Heat- ing Plant .....	700	00
Balance to Transfer Ac- count, unexpended,...	121	43
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	\$2,318	35 \$2,318 35

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## INCIDENTALS.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....	\$ 3,000	00
May 4, By cash, tax sales re- paid .....	8	38
By cash, American La France Fire Engine Co., for damage to dress owned by Mrs. C. Hoessler .....	3	00

Paid:—

Incidentals .....	\$2,424	60
Board of Health ....	43	58
Balance to Transfer Account, unexpended	543	20
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	\$3,011	38 \$3,011 38

Paid:—

Feb. 2, C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps	\$5	00
C. H. Bean, P. M., rent of P. O. box. ....	75	
Edmund H. Brown, regis- ter, notice of tax sales	4	50

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	George E. Clark, carrying ballots to Ward One .....	2 00
	Automotive Service Bureau, auto price lists.	2 45
	Monitor Patriot Co., non-resident tax list (advertising) .....	8 25
	Atlantic Ribbon & Carbon Co., pencil carbon	1 50
	George Dunn, use of water tub .....	3 00
	L. K. Perley, services surveying line of Cross road .....	8 00
Mar. 2,	Milo Ribbon & Carbon Corp., carbon paper..	4 90
	Towne & Robie, letter heads, committee cards, tags and envelopes .....	28 55
	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps	10 00
	Franklin National Bank, one box pens.....	1 50
Apr. 6,	Towne & Robie, supplies	88 31
	E. G. & E. W. Leach, insurance .....	30 00
	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps for tax collector.....	30 00
	American Railway Express Co., express on City Reports .....	96
	C. H. Bean, P. M., box rent and stamps ....	12 25
	C. J. Nourie, Collector, purchase of property at tax sale .....	10 12
	Towne & Robie, City Reports .....	1,181 40
May 4,	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps	30 00

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	Automotive Service Bureau, auto price lists	1 50
	Edmund H. Brown, register, tax sale .....	50
June 1,	Edmund H. Brown, register, tax sales.....	14 00
	Towne & Robie, supplies	27 25
	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps	10 00
	Charles M. Smart, one stapling machine ....	4 40
July 6,	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps for tax collector.....	30 00
	C. H. Bean, P. M., post office box .....	75
	Thomas F. Clifford, insurance .....	5 00
	Omar A. Towne, Agent, bond of William A. Dussault as Treasurer in U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co. ....	30 00
	W. P. Farmer, Treas., dues for assessors in State Association....	2 00
	George E. Clark, use of horses with ambulance .....	2 00
	Edmund H. Brown, register, tax sales .....	4 00
	Towne & Robie, supplies	15 80
	American Railway Express Co., express on Inventory record books .....	48
	Towne & Robie, supplies	20 50
	Edson C. Eastman Co., Inventory record books .....	35 00
Aug. 3,	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps	10 00
	Avon Envelope Co., pay envelopes .....	1 46

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	American Railway Ex- press Co., express on disinfectant .....	47
	Irving V. Goss, record- ing and returning vital statistics .....	23 60
Sept. 9,	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps	5 00
	Avon Envelope Co., rope wallets .....	24 35
	Towne & Robie, supplies	17 75
	Automotive Service Bu- reau, auto price lists .	3 12
	C. P. Stevens, supplies..	7 20
	Franklin Light & Power Co., repairing street lighting circuit .....	28 65
Oct. 5,	Eugene Routhier, labor on sidewalk .....	23 00
	Eugene Routhier, labor on sidewalk .....	21 00
	Mrs. Carl R. Hoessler, damage to dress.....	3 00
	Automotive Service Bu- reau, reprinted auto- mobile price list.....	1 47
	Charles E. Marion, per- sonal injuries and damage to automo- bile .....	38 00
	H. K. Grant, black- smithing .....	4 50
	Chadwick & Kidder, lum- ber .....	19 91
	C. P. Stevens, supplies..	50
	Samuel Jannelle, repair- ing city scales.....	42 50
	Central Garage, one can "loosen-nut" .....	75
	C. H. Bean, P. M., box rent .....	75



	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps for tax col- lector .....	20 00
	Electro-Chemical Ink Co., bottle of ink .....	1 50
	Towne & Robie, draft sheets and tax notices	17 00
Nov. 2,	Pay Roll, week ending October 10, on foot bridge .....	6 75
	C. P. Stevens, screws, nails and spikes.....	88
	Automotive Service Bu- reau, automobile price lists .....	1 16
	Towne & Robie, letter- heads and cards.....	7 75
	Anderson & Co., pencils.	3 13
	Chadwick & K i d d e r, boards and planing..	11 48
	Edson C. Eastman Co., book for liens.....	11 44
Dec. 7,	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps for tax collector.....	20 00
	Griffin Drug Co., one sponge .....	35
	C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps	10 00
	Edward L. Welch, rail- road fare to asses- sors' meeting in Man- chester .....	2 62
	Towne & Robie, supplies	49 77
	Suloway Mills, - bricks, repairing scales.....	2 00
	Automotive Service Bu- reau, automobile price lists .....	1 72
	Towne & Robie, order books for Overseer of the Poor .....	5 75

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George S. Davenport, setting up and taking down booths for election .....	8 00
G. G. Fellows, plates for pictures in Council room, and labor.....	16 38
W. S. Stewart, supplies..	42 84
15, Ralph Manning, painting cannon .....	9 50
C. H. Bean, P. M., stamps for office .....	5 00
Towne & Robie, envelopes .....	3 00
George E. Clark, taking ballots to Ward One	1 00
Franklin Light & Power Co., gas used in Grand Army Hall .....	5 72
E. T. Drake, M. D., to return of births and deaths .....	15 75
A. A. Beaton, M. D., to return of births and deaths .....	8 00
J. B. Woodman, M. D., to return of deaths.....	5 50
A. Lagace, M. D., to return of births and deaths .....	15 75
F. A. Bakeman, M. D., to return of births and deaths .....	10 50
W. E. Smith, M. D., to return of births and deaths .....	4 00
C. W. Adams, M. D., to return of births and deaths .....	2 25
F. J. McQuade, M. D., to return of births.....	5 00

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T. H. Huckins, M. D., to return of births.....	50	
Alfred Woodhouse, M. D., return of birth...	25	
J. Sarah Barney, M. D., return of births.....	50	
Pay Roll, return of mar- riages .....	12	50
Irving V. Goss, record- ing and returning vital statistics from July 1, 1925 .....	50	95
Central N. H. Telephone Co., services for year 1925 .....	84	81
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	\$2,424	60 \$2,424 60

## BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT.

The Board of Health respectfully submits the following report for 1925:

There were no contagious diseases reported for which disinfecting was necessary. This is indeed remarkable, and shows that everything possible is being done to keep the sanitary condition of Franklin perfect.

There were two deaths from tuberculosis. There were many cases of German measles with no deaths.

The total number of deaths during the entire year, exclusive of still borns, was 90. The number of bodies brought here for burial from other places was 30.

In concluding this report, we wish to extend our thanks to the Honorable Mayor and Councilmen for their hearty support given us in the performance of our duties.

W. E. SMITH,  
IRVING V. GOSS,  
HECTOR MORIN.

### Expenditures.

1925.

Apr. 6,	James E. Smith, to burying dead dog .....	\$1 00
May 4,	Paul Coen, finding and burying dead cat .....	50
	Andrew Fontaine, burying dead cat .....	50
	Warren Lafrance, burying dead cat .....	50
	Richard Yeo, burying dead cat.....	50
	John Curran, damage to carpet.....	15 00
July 6,	B. H. Richardson, disposing of dead cat .....	50
	Charles F. Hayden, bringing in dead cat .....	50
	W. Harry Huntoon, bringing in dead cat .....	50
	W. E. Smith, fumigations .....	15 58

Aug. 3,	Roger Masse, bringing in dead cat..	50
Sept. 9,	Ovilla Nadeau, bringing in dead cat	50
	Andrew Rayno, bringing in dead cat	50
	M. Colby, bringing in dead cat.....	50
Oct. 5,	Roger Beaupre, bringing in dead cat	50
	Charles Wilson, bringing in dead cat	50
Nov. 2,	Shirley S. Cross, bringing in dead	
	cat .....	50
	Alphonse Brassard, bringing in dead	
	cat .....	50
Dec. 7,	Griffin Drug Co., fumigators.....	4 50
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		\$43 58

## BAND CONCERTS.

May 25,	Appropriation .....	\$200 00
1925.		
	Paid:—	
July 6,	387th Infantry Band, for	
	street dance and con-	
	cert, June 24.....	80 00
	Towne & Robie, 50	
	posters .....	3 25
Aug. 3,	George Turcotte, serv-	
	ices of band July 3rd	85 00
Dec. 15,	A. E. Shaw Post, A. L.,	
	balance of appropri-	
	ation for year 1925	
	for Band, Armistice	
	Day .....	31 75
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		\$200 00    \$200 00

## THOMAS A. CASSIDY.

1925.

Jan. 1,	From resources and lia-	
	bilities .....	\$112 99

Paid:—

Aug. 3,	Thomas A. Cassidy ....	\$112 99
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## SCHOOLS.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....	\$71,812 00
Transfer from Dog Li- cense Account .....	784 13

Paid:—

Feb. 2, W. A. Dussault, Treas., account of schools...	\$4,500 00
W. A. Dussault, on ac- count of appropri- ation for year 1925..	3,500 00
Mar. 2, W. A. Dussault, Treas., account of appro- priation of year 1925	3,500 00
W. A. Dussault, on ac- count of appropri- ation of 1925.....	3,000 00
Apr. 6, W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,500 00
W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,500 00
May 4, W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,000 00
W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	4,000 00
June 1, W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,000 00
W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,500 00
July 6, W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,500 00
Sept. 9, W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	2,500 00

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	W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	2,000 00	
Oct. 5,	W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	4,000 00	
Nov. 2,	W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	4,000 00	
	W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,500 00	
Dec. 7,	W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	4,000 00	
	W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	3,500 00	
	W. A. Dussault, Treas., on account of appro- priation .....	2,000 00	
15,	W. A. Dussault, Treas., to balance of appro- priation for year 1925	7,312 00	
	To balance of Dog Li- cense Account .....	784 13	
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		\$72,596 13	\$72,596 13

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## JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

1925.

Jan. 1,	From Resources and Lia- bilities .....	\$3,417 98
Apr. 3,	By Cash, refunded on T. A. Cassidy Bond.....	78 98
Paid:—		
Feb. 2,	Boston & Maine R. R., freight on machinery	\$19 47

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	Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,		
	desks, shelves and		
	brackets .....	189	60
Mar. 2,	Boston & Maine R. R.,		
	freight on machinery	21	53
June 1,	Chandler - Farquhar Co.,		
	tools .....	194	32
	American Wood Work-		
	ing Mach. Co., ma-		
	chinery .....	550	12
	Hill, Clarke & Co., Inc.,		
	machinery .....	1,405	00
Aug. 3,	L. J. Cherrier, cash on ac-		
	count of T. A. Cas-		
	sidy .....	10	31
Nov. 2,	Hill, Clarke & Co., Inc.,		
	one bevel gear, pinion,		
	large spur gear and		
	small spur gear.....	25	00
	Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,		
	chair desks .....	116	00
	Page Belting Co., steel		
	pulleys and beltings.	57	99
Dec. 15,	Page Belting Co., pulleys	12	79
	Balance to Resources and		
	Liabilities .....	894	83
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		\$3,496	96 \$3,496 96

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**SALARIES.**

1925.		
May 25,	Appropriation .....	\$5,300 00
	Paid:—	
	Elmer D. Kelley, mayor	\$200 00
	I. V. Goss, overseer of the	
	poor .....	100 00
	W. E. Smith, Secretary of	
	the Board of Health,	
	and milk inspector...	200 00
	Hector Morin, board of	
	health .....	25 00



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I. V. Goss, board of health	50 00	
Alvin C. Gilman, assessor	400 00	
George F. Garneau, as- sessor .....	400 00	
Edward L. Welch, as- sessor .....	400 00	
I. V. Goss, city clerk, and clerk of board of as- sessors .....	1,500 00	
Howard Kidder, auditor	100 00	
W. E. Smith, city phy- sician .....	50 00	
W. A. Dussault, treas- urer .....	150 00	
E. G. Leach, city solicitor	200 00	
Mildred A. Stevens, as- sistant at city clerk's office .....	780 00	
Pay rolls, drawing jurors	35 00	
Pay rolls, election officers	132 00	
John Manchester, tax collector, 1924 .....	325 00	
C. J. Nourie, tax col- lector, 1925 .....	400 00	
Balance to Transfer Ac- count, overdrawn....		147 00
	\$5,447 00	\$5,447 00

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## MEMORIAL DAY.

May 25, Appropriation .....		\$300 00
Paid:—		
June 1, Arthur E. Shaw Post, American Legion ....	\$300 00	
Dec. 22, Cash returned by Ameri- can Legion, unused balance .....		42 13
Balance to transfer account unexpended .....	42 13	
	\$342 13	\$342 13

### STREET LIGHTING.

May 25, Appropriation .....		\$8,400 00	
Paid:—			
Apr. 15, Franklin Light & Power Co., for quarter ending March 31, 1925 .....	\$2,057 38		
July 6, Franklin Light & Power Co., for quarter ending June 30 .....	2,060 68		
Oct. 5, Franklin Light & Power Co., for quarter ending Sept. 30 .....	2,061 11		
Nov. 1, Franklin Light & Power Co., lights at Webster Lake from June 1 to Oct. 1 .....	78 00		
Dec. 15, Franklin Light & Power Co., for quarter ending Dec. 31 .....	2,065 91		
Balance to transfer ac- count, unexpended ...	76 92		
		\$8,400 00	\$8,400 00

### JANITOR

1925.

Paid:—

Squire Durham .....	\$1,380 00		
Transfer to Heating Plant		\$920 00	
Transfer to Memorial Hall		460 00	
	\$1,380 00	\$1,380 00	

## HEATING PLANT.

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....	\$1,800 00
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Received:—

From Public Library ....	400 00
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From Board of Education	1,400 00
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Transfer from Memorial Hall .....	700 00
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Transfer from Fire De- partment, coal .....	297 92
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Paid:—

Feb. 2 Charles E. Douphinett, coal .....	622 36
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Mar. 2, Charles B. Dole, to truck- ing coal .....	47 74
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Boston & Maine R. R. freight on coal.....	145 57
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R. M. Merrill, firing boilers	5 50
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Carbon Coal & Coke Co., coal .....	461 51
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Apr. 6, C. E. Douphinett, coal ..	742 93
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Sept. 9, H. E. Colby, iron and labor	2 01
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Wm. H. Martin, labor...	13 52
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L. J. Cherrier, supplies ..	15
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Oct. 5, Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coal .....	24 11
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Carbon Coal & Coke Co., coal .....	116 21
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Charles B. Dole, to truck- ing coal .....	27 67
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Boston & Maine R. R., freight on coal .....	242 11
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Nov. 2, Boston & Maine R. R., freight on coal .....	73 29
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Dec. 7, Boston & Maine R. R., freight on coal .....	73 66
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Carbon Coal & Coke Co., coal .....	501 83
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Charles Dole, to truck- ing coal .....	48 17
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R. M. Merrill, firing boilers .....	14 50	
Dec. 15, W. H. Martin, fusible plugs and labor .....	14 61	
Chimnee Sweep Co., soot and carbon remover..	47 04	
Central N. H. Telephone Co., for services year 1925 .....	27 00	
Transfer from Janitor account .....	920 00	
Balance to transfer account, unexpended ...	426 43	
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	\$4,597 92	\$4,597 92

## OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

1925.

Paid:—

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Irving V. Goss .....	\$6,486 22	
By transfer to Merrimack County .....		\$3,789 11
By transfer to City Poor account .....		2,697 11
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	\$6,486 22	\$6,486 22

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### CITY POOR.

May 25, Appropriation .....		\$2,500 00
L. Bedard .....	\$20 00	
Benj. Mason .....	54 00	
Abby Clark .....	165 28	
Mary Colby .....	85 28	
Charles Dorval .....	62 28	
William Doherty .....	32 02	
Oscar Dorval .....	60 10	
Harry Dame .....	31 30	
Cleon Kimball .....	724 75	
Marie Blanche Landry....	74 75	
Horace W. Locke .....	284 74	
Thos. and Arthur Proulx	306 00	
Emma Sanborn .....	260 74	
Victor Trottier .....	25 03	
Aid to soldiers and their families .....	510 84	
Balance to transfer ac- count overdrawn .....		197 11
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	\$2,697 11	\$2,697 11

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**COUNTY POOR.**

John H. Bowen .....	\$137 97	
Mary Bill .....	64 16	
Reuben Cote .....	17 00	
Louise Duff .....	436 82	
Stacey Daigneau .....	40 01	
Minnie Farnum .....	238 23	
Joseph Forest .....	26 34	
Roger Gionet .....	16 00	
Marion Garthland .....	65 00	
Henry Hawthorne .....	708 74	
Mrs. Arthur Hebert .....	144 89	
Elmer Herbert .....	73 96	
C. B. Knowlton .....	45 24	
Edmond Lapage .....	44 00	
Stephen Martell .....	270 68	
Carrie Merrill .....	39 00	
George W. Robie .....	33 99	
William L. Taylor .....	11 50	
Thomas Yeo .....	370 75	
Transient Pauper .....	4 00	
Aid to soldiers and their families .....	1,060 83	
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	\$3,849 11	
Less cash received from Henry Varmette .....	60 00	
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		\$3,789 11

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**MERRIMACK COUNTY.**

1925.		
Aug. 1,	By cash, pauper account..	\$1,636 68
	By cash, dependent soldiers	802 99
Dec. 22,	By cash, pauper account..	1,151 60
	By cash, dependent soldiers .....	197 84
	Transfer from the Overseer of the Poor account .....	\$3,789 11
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		\$3,789 11    \$3,789 11

## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE.

1925.		
	Appropriation .....	\$1,700 00
	Received:—	
	From J. Nowak .....	10 00
	From Sanbornton School District .....	10 00
	Paid:—	
Feb. 2,	Annie R. Provost, services	\$112 00
Mar. 2,	Annie R. Provost, services	112 00
Apr. 6,	Annie R. Provost, services	112 00
May 4,	Annie R. Provost, services	140 00
June 1,	Annie R. Provost, services	112 00
July 6,	Annie R. Provost, services	140 00
Aug. 3,	Annie R. Provost, services	112 00
Sept. 9,	Annie R. Provost, services	112 00
	Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital, operating room for students ...	42 00
	Towne & Robie, monthly reports .....	3 87
Oct. 5,	Annie Provost, services ..	140 00
Nov. 2,	Annie Provost, services ..	112 00
Dec. 7,	Annie Provost, services ..	112 00
	Andrew L. MacMillan, Jr., M. D., to tonsillectomy for students .....	150 00
Dec. 15,	Annie Provost, services ..	112 00
	Balance to transfer account, unexpended ...	96 13
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		\$1,720 00 \$1,720 00

## TREE WARDEN.

1925.		
May 25,	Appropriation .....	\$1,000 00
	Received:—	
	For spraying trees .....	128 25
	From Overseer of the Poor, for wood .....	16 00

Paid:—		
May 4,	C. P. Stevens, arsenate of lead .....	\$360 00
June 1,	Pay Roll, week ending May 9 .....	10 95
July 6,	Pay Roll, week ending June 6 .....	61 00
	Pay Roll, week ending June 13 .....	34 25
Aug. 3,	Pay Roll, week ending July 11 .....	8 46
Sept. 9,	Pay Roll, week ending August 15 .....	40 90
	W. H. Martin, labor on sprayer .....	2 78
Oct. 5,	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 12 .....	56 55
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 19 .....	79 80
	Pay Roll, week ending Sept. 26 .....	27 25
	Pay Roll, week ending Dec. 12 .....	14 70
	J. C. Nowell, salary as Tree Warden .....	200 00
	Balance to transfer account unexpended .....	247 61
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		\$1,144 25 \$1,144 25

### STATE TAX.

1925.

May 25,	Appropriation .....	\$22,005 00
Dec. 7,	Henry E. Chamberlin, State Treasurer .....	\$22,005 00
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		\$22,005 00 \$22,005 00



**COUNTY TAX.**

1925.

May 25, Appropriation ..... \$13,024 54

Paid:—

Oct. 5, John L. Shaw, Treasurer.. \$5,000 00

Dec. 7, John L. Shaw, Treasurer.. 8,024 54

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\$13,024 54 \$13,024 54

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**PUBLIC LIBRARY.**

1925.

May 25, Appropriation ..... \$4,200 00

Paid:—

A. M. Hancock, Treasurer \$4,200 00

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\$4,200 00 \$4,200 00

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**ODELL PARK.**

1925.

May 25, Appropriation ..... \$500 00

Paid:—

Franklin Park Commission \$500 00

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\$500 00 \$500 00

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**HOSPITAL.**

1925.

May 25, Appropriation ..... \$1,000 00

Paid:—

Dec. 15, A. L. Smythe, Treasurer \$1,000 00

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\$1000 00 \$1,000 00

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### POLL TAXES PAID TO STATE.

1925. Paid:—		
June 1, Henry E. Chamberlin, for		
7 poll taxes for year		
1923 and 378 poll taxes		
for the year 1924, total		
385 at \$2 .....	\$770 00	
Carried to transfer ac-		
count .....		\$770 00
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	\$770 00	\$770 00

### LAND ON PLAINS.

1925. Paid:—		
Dec. 15, Charles B. Prescott .....	\$500 00	
To transfer account .....		\$500 00
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	\$500 00	\$500 00

### JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL LOAN.

1925.		
Jan. 1, From Resources and Lia-		
bilities .....		\$62,000 00
Paid:—		
Dec. 15, Franklin Savings Bank ...	\$4,000 00	
Balance to Resources and		
Liabilities .....	58,000 00	
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	\$62,000 00	\$62,000 00

### CENTRAL STREET IMPROVEMENT LOAN.

1925.		
Jan. 1, From Resources and Lia-		
bilities .....		\$15,000 00
Paid:—		
Aug. 3, Franklin Savings Bank ..	\$3,000 00	
Dec. 15, Balance to Resources and		
Liabilities .....	\$12,000 00	
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	\$15,000 00	\$15,000 00

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**ODELL PARK COTTAGE FUND.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities .....	\$4,000 00	
Dec. 15, To Resources and Liabilities .....	\$4,000 00	
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	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00

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**ODELL MEMORIAL ARCH FUND.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities .....	\$2,000 00	
By transfer from Trustees of Trust Funds .....	2,000 00	
Dec. 15, To Resources and Liabilities .....	\$4,000 00	
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	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00

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**WATER WORKS REFUNDING BONDS.**

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....	\$6,000 00	
Dec. 15, To Transfer Account.....	\$6,000 00	
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	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00

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**CENTRAL STREET IMPROVEMENT LOAN.**

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....	\$3,000 00	
Dec. 15, To Transfer Account.....	\$3,000 00	
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	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00

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**WATER WORKS NOTE OF MARCH 1, 1916.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities .....	\$4,000 00	
Dec. 15, To Resources and Liabilities .....	\$4,000 00	
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	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00

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**NEW DANIELL BRIDGE LOAN.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities .....	\$40,500 00	
Paid:—		
Dec. 15, Franklin Savings Bank...	\$2,250 00	
Balance to Resources and Liabilities .....	38,250 00	
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	\$40,500 00	\$40,500 00

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**NEW DANIELL BRIDGE LOAN.**

1925.

May 25, Appropriation .....	\$2,250 00	
Dec. 15, To Transfer Account ....	\$2,250 00	
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	\$2,250 00	\$2,250 00

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**TEMPORARY LOANS.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities .....	\$5,000 00	
Mar. 4, Borrowed Franklin Savings Bank .....	10,000 00	
31, Borrowed, Franklin Savings Bank .....	20,000 00	

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May	5, Borrowed, Franklin Sav-		
	ings Bank .....	5,000	00
June	2, Borrowed, Franklin Sav-		
	ings Bank .....	10,000	00
	16, Borrowed, Franklin Sav-		
	ings Bank .....	3,000	00
Aug.	3, Paid Franklin National		
	Bank .....	\$48,000	00
Sept.	9, Loaned to Franklin Na-		
	tional Bank .....	60,000	00
Oct.	2, Repaid by Franklin Na-		
	tional Bank .....	20,000	00
	22, Repaid by Franklin Na-		
	tional Bank.....	20,000	00
Dec.	1, Repaid by Franklin Na-		
	tional Bank .....	20,000	00
	15, Balance to Resources and		
	Liabilities .....	5,000	00
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		\$113,000	00 \$113,000 00

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## JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL LOAN.

1925.

May 25,	Appropriation .....	\$4,000	00
Dec. 15,	To Transfer Account....	\$4,000	00
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		\$4,000	00 \$4,000 00

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## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS.

1925.

	Cash Received .....	\$1,525	00
Dec. 15,	Transferred to Trustees of		
	Trust Funds .....	\$1,525	00
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		\$1,525	00 \$1,525 00

### AUTOMOBILE PERMITS.

1925.	Cash received .....	\$12,404 69	
	Transferred to Sundry Re-		
	ceipts .....	\$12,404 69	
		\$12,404 69	\$12,404 69

### BILLIARD AND POOL TABLE LICENSES.

1925.	Cash received .....	\$130 00	
	Transferred to Sundry Re-		
	ceipts .....	\$130 00	
		\$130 00	\$130 00

### JUNK DEALERS' LICENSES.

1925.	Cash received .....	\$50 00	
	Transferred to Sundry Re-		
	ceipts .....	\$50 00	
		\$50 00	\$50 00

### SHOW LICENSES.

1925.	Cash received .....	\$354 00	
	Transferred to Sundry Re-		
	ceipts .....	\$354 00	
		\$354 00	\$354 00

**DOG LICENSES.**

1925.	Cash received .....		\$844 88
	Paid:—		
Apr. 6,	L. B. Greeley, killing and burying dog .....	\$1 00	
June 1,	L. B. Greeley, killing and burying dogs .....	3 00	
	Beaupre Bros., automobile	1 50	
July 6,	L. B. Greeley, killing and burying dogs .....	4 00	
	Towne & Robie, postal cards and printing....	1 25	
	L. B. Greeley, services as dog officer	50 00	
	Transferred to School Ac- count .....	784 13	
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		\$844 88	\$844 88

**MILK DEALERS' LICENSES.**

1925.	Cash received .....		\$42 00
	Transferred to Sundry Re- ceipts .....	\$42 00	
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		\$42 00	\$42 00

**BOWLING ALLEY LICENSES.**

1925.	Cash received .....		\$60 00
	Transferred to Sundry Re- ceipts .....	\$60 00	
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		\$60 00	\$60 00

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**LIQUOR PERMITS.**

1925.			
	Cash received .....		\$1 00
	Transferred to Sundry Re-		
	ceipts .....	\$1 00	
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		\$1 00	\$1 00

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**PEDDLERS' LICENSES.**

1925.			
	Cash received .....		\$40 00
	Transferred to Sundry Re-		
	ceipts .....	\$40 00	
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		\$40 00	\$40 00

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**SUNDRY RECEIPTS.**

1925.			
	Balance of tax on intan-		
	gibles, 1924 .....		\$9 87
	Supplementary Savings		
	Bank Tax, 1924 .....	2 86	
	Insurance Tax .....	\$48 75	
	Railroad Tax .....	3,956 53	
	Insurance Tax .....	13,190 30	
	Automobile Permits .....	12,404 69	
	Billiard and Pool Table		
	Licenses .....	130 00	
	Junk Dealers' Licenses ..	50 00	
	Show Licenses .....	354 00	
	Milk Dealers' Licenses ..	42 00	
	Bowling Alley Licenses ..	60 00	
	Liquor Permits .....	1 00	
	Peddlers' Licenses .....	40 00	
	To transfer account .....	\$30,290 00	
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		\$30,290 00	\$30,290 00



**BONDED DEBT.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities .....	\$142,000 00
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Paid:—

Oct. 5, Franklin National Bank for Water Works Refunding Bonds maturing Oct. 1, 1925 ....	\$6,000 00
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Dec. 18, To Resources and Liabilities .....	136,000 00
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	<u>\$142,000 00</u>	\$142,000 00
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**TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities:	
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Cemetery Trust Funds	\$30,751 00
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Odell Memorial Arch Fund .....	2,000 00
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Dec. 15, Transfer to Odell Memorial Arch Fund account	\$2,000 00
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By transfer from Cemetery Trust Funds Account	1,525 00
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To Resources and Liabilities .....	32,276 00
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	<u>\$34,276 00</u>	\$34,276 00
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**TAX ON INTANGIBLES.**

1925.

Due from State .....	\$8,654 61
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To transfer account ....	\$8,654 61
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	<u>\$8,654 61</u>	\$8,654 61
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**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.**

1925.

Jan. 1, From Resources and Liabilities .....	\$5,456 47	
Feb. 4, By Cash .....		\$5,456 47
Dec. 15, Balance due from Trunk Line Maintenance ...	297 67	
Balance due from State Aid Maintenance ....	1,057 40	
Balance due from State Aid Construction ....	682 94	
Balance due from Tax on Intangibles .....	8,654 61	
To Resources and Liabilities .....		10,692 62
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	\$16,149 09	\$16,149 09

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**ODELL MEMORIAL ARCH FUND.**

Vote passed April 7, 1913.

That, the City of Franklin hereby accepts the sum of two thousand dollars given to said city, March 3, 1913, by Mrs. Herman J. Odell, same to be known as the "Odell Memorial Arch Fund," and said city hereby contracts and agrees with the said Mrs. Herman J. Odell, her heirs and assigns, to pay four percent interest annually on said sum, said interest to be expended by duly authorized agents of said city for the following purposes only, to wit:

First. For the care and repair of the Odell Memorial Arch.

Second. For the lighting of said arch.

Third. Balance for the care of the Odell Park.

It is further voted that a copy of this vote of acceptance and contract shall be printed annually in the city reports.

Approved.

W. W. EDWARDS, Mayor.

## SUMMARY.

Highways .....	\$38,932 84
Sidewalks .....	1,215 76
Sewer Maintenance .....	536 81
Garbage Removal .....	3,494 86
Trunk Line Maintenance .....	2,914 97
State Aid Maintenance .....	5,738 83
State Aid Construction .....	3,110 94
Fire Department .....	13,948 38
Police Department .....	- 7,744 38
Band Concerts .....	200 00
Memorial Hall .....	1,036 92
Incidentals .....	2,424 60
Board of Health .....	43 58
Schools .....	72,596 13
Junior High School .....	2,602 13
Memorial Day .....	300 00
Salaries .....	5,447 00
Street Lighting .....	8,323 08
Janitor .....	1,380 00
Heating Plant .....	3,251 49
Tree Warden .....	896 64
Public Health Nurse .....	1,623 87
Overseer of the Poor .....	6,486 22
State Tax .....	22,005 00
County Tax .....	13 024 54
Public Library .....	4,200 00
Odell Park .....	500 00
Hospital .....	1,000 00
Poll taxes to State .....	770 00
Land on Plains .....	500 00
Junior High School Loan .....	4,000 00
Central Street Improvement Loan .....	3,000 00
New Daniell Bridge Loan .....	2,250 00
Temporary Loans .....	108,000 00
Interest Bonds of 1907 .....	1,050 00
Interest Memorial Hall and Sewer Bonds ....	1,750 00
Interest Water Works Bonds .....	3,100 00
Interest Temporary Loans .....	879 36
Interest Water Works Note of March 1, 1916	160 00

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Interest Odell Memorial Arch Fund .....	160 00
Interest Odell Park Cottage Fund .....	160 00
Interest Central Street Improvement Loan ..	600 00
Interest Cemetery Trust Funds .....	1,100 67
Interest New Daniell Bridge Loan .....	1,822 50
Interest Junior High School Loan .....	2,790 00
Dog Licenses .....	60 75
Bonded Debt .....	6,000 00
Thomas A. Cassidy .....	112 99
Water Works Refunding Bond .....	6,000 00
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	\$369,245 24

# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

## 1922 List.

1925.			
Jan. 1,	Balance uncollected .....	\$82 36	
	Interest .....	23 45	
	Paid City Treasurer .....		\$105 81
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		\$105 81	\$105 81

## 1923 List.

1925.			
Jan. 1,	Balance uncollected .....	\$757 42	
	Interest .....	53 52	
	Abatements .....		\$160 97
	Paid City Treasurer .....		412 09
	Balance uncollected .....		237 88
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		\$810 94	\$810 94

## 1924 List.

1925.			
Jan. 1,	Balance uncollected .....	\$15,854 67	
	Interest .....	356 96	
	Subsequent assessments ..	107 65	
	Abatements .....		\$821 62
	Paid City Treasurer .....		14,242 46
	Balance uncollected .....		1,255 20
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		\$16,319 28	\$16,319 28

## 1925 List.

Resident Tax List .....	\$189,326 03	
Non-resident Tax List ...	15,631 01	
Subsequently assessed ....	1,468 55	
National Bank Tax .....	1,204 49	
Interest .....	72 41	
Abatements . . . . .		\$703 30
Discounts . . . . .		3,105 69
Paid City Treasurer .....		192,182 05
Balance uncollected .....		11,711 45
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	\$207,702 49	\$207,702 49

C. J. NOURIE, Collector.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

### Receipts.

Balance from 1924 ..... \$11,509 25

#### Highways:

Town of Hill, use of tractor and snow plow .....	112 50
J. H. Gerlach, for plowing driveway .....	2 00
R. M. Wright, use of tractor and snow plow . . . . .	35 00
Town of Boscawen, use of tractor and snow plow .....	120 00
City of Laconia, use of tractor and snow plow .....	260 00
Towns of Tilton and Northfield, use of tractor and snow plow .....	60 00
Town of Bristol, use of tractor and snow plow, 1924 .....	25 00
Town of Bristol, use of tractor and snow plow, 1925 .....	65 00
A. Leclair, plowing driveway .....	2 00
D. T. Atwood, use of tractor and snow plow .....	1 00
Benson Auto Co., refunded, overpaid .....	5 87
A. L. Edmunds, for Tarvia .....	8 50
State Highway Department, trucking steel drums .....	21 58
State Highway Department, gas and oil .....	6 65
J. H. Warburton, gasoline .....	1 56
George Barry, for crushed stone ....	3 05
Town of Hill, coal .....	5 00
Davison & Swansberg, crushed stone .....	60 00
Use of roller at Canaan .....	56 00
Carl Hunt, for stone dust .....	50
E. T. Drake, stone dust .....	26 57
Trunk Line Maintenance, for Tarvia .....	235 77
State Aid Maintenance, for Tarvia...	101 63
H. Rayno, for chopping block .....	1 00

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Roy A. Hunt, damage to fence .....	20 00
J. H. Gerlach, for stone dust .....	25 50
Cash for gasoline .....	1 00
L. M. Pike & Son, stone and pipe ....	168 20
Kittredge Bridge Co., for stone .....	21 88
State Aid Construction, for posts ....	27 60
State Aid Construction, for pipe ....	122 40
Town of Northfield, for pipe .....	43 20
Tilton Electric Light & Power Co., stone .....	12 39
J. P. Proctor, for stone .....	2 00
Overseer of the Poor, sawing and trucking wood .....	97 50
E. D. Kelley, for dressing at City Stable	25 00
W. E. Goss, for stone dust and labor	7 00
Beaton, Leach & Dunlap, for removing rubbish .....	50 42
Mrs. E. S. Edmunds, for drain in Ed- munds Court .....	14 93
E. D. Kelley, for plow and harrow ..	50 00
Franklin Water Works, for gasoline..	55 00
G. E. Clark, for stone dust .....	52 50
Sidewalks:	
Received from abutters .....	1,095 95
Sewers:	
For Permits .....	60 00
Eugene Young, for labor .....	1 62
For Rentals .....	31 00
Garbage Removal:	
Tickets .....	234 80
Trunk Line Maintenance:	
State Highway Department, for tarvia	235 77
Fire Department:	
H. E. Rainville, for sled .....	25 00
B. & M. Railroad, for fire on A. Clough land . . . . .	8 50
B. & M. Railroad, for fire on land of Franklin Needle Co. ....	3 50



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E. H. Sweatt, for two windows .....	2 00
State Treasurer, for forest fires ....	60 20
B. & M. Railroad, for fire near Webster Lake .....	41 75
Town of Andover, services of Dep't.	87 50
Fire Alarm:	
Fred Brown, for labor .....	2 00
Police:	
Municipal Court, fines and costs ....	1,942 26
Memorial Hall:	
Rentals .....	903 00
Commission from telephone booth ....	15 35
Incidentals:	
Tax sale repaid by E. Harrington ..	8 38
American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., damage to dress owned by Mrs. C. Hoessler .....	3 00
Junior High School:	
Cash, refunded on T. A. Cassidy bond	78 98
Memorial Day:	
Cash returned by A. E. Shaw Post, A. L. ....	42 13
Heating Plant:	
From Public Library .....	400 00
From Schools .....	1,400 00
Tree Warden:	
For spraying trees .....	128 25
Overseer of the Poor, for wood .....	16 00
Public Health Nurse:	
Cash from J. Nowak .....	10 00
Sanbornton School District .....	10 00
Merrimack County:	
Pauper account .....	2,788 28
Aid to soldiers .....	1,000 83

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Temporary Loans:	
Franklin Savings Bank .....	48,000 00
Franklin National Bank; repaid on loans .....	60,000 00
Cemetery Trust Funds: .....	1,525 00
Interest Temporary Loans:	
Franklin National Bank .....	411 67
Automobile Permits .....	12,404 69
Billiard and Pool Table Licenses .....	130 00
Junk Dealers' Licenses .....	50 00
Dog Licenses .....	844 88
Show Licenses .....	354 00
Milk Dealers' Licenses .....	42 00
Bowling Alley Licenses .....	60 00
Liquor Permits .....	1 00
Peddlers' Licenses .....	40 00
State Treasurer:	
Insurance Tax .....	48 75
Railroad Tax .....	3,956 53
Savings Bank Tax .....	13,190 30
C. J. Nourie, Collector, 1922 taxes .....	105 81
C. J. Nourie, Collector, 1923 taxes .....	412 09
C. J. Nourie, Collector, 1924 taxes .....	14,242 46
C. J. Nourie, Collector, 1925 taxes .....	192,182 05
State of New Hampshire:	
State Treasurer, 1924 account .....	5,456 47
Balance Tax on Intangibles, 1924 .....	9 87
Supplementary Savings Bank Tax, 1924 ....	2 86
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	\$377,628 43

### Disbursements.

Paid, orders of Mayor and Council 27,598 to 29,002 inclusive .....	\$369,245 24
Balance in treasury .....	8,383 19
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	\$377,628 43

WILLIAM A. DUSSAULT, City Treasurer.

## RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES.

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### Liabilities.

State Aid Construction to 1926 account .....	\$188 04
Junior High School to 1926 account .....	894 83
Junior High School Loan .....	58,000 00
Central Street Improvement Loan .....	12,000 00
New Daniell Bridge Loan .....	38,250 00
Water Works Note of March 1, 1916 .....	4,000 00
Lucie H. Odell Note .....	5,000 00
Nesmith School, Heating Plant and Park Bonds payable June 1, 1927 .....	30,000 00
Memorial Hall and Sewer Extension Bonds, payable Oct. 1, 1928 .....	50,000 00
Water Works Refunding Bonds, payable serially, \$6000 per year for five years and \$5000 per year for 10 years, beginning October 1, 1922 .....	56,000 00
Trustees of Trust Funds:	
Cemetery Trust Funds .....	32,276 00
Odell Park Cottage Fund .....	4,000 00
Odell Memorial Arch Fund .....	4,000 00
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	\$294,608 87

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**Resources.**

Due from 1923 Tax List .....	\$237 88
Due from 1924 Tax List .....	1,255 20
Due from 1925 Tax List .....	11,711 45
Due from State of New Hampshire:	
Trunk Line Maintenance Account ....	297 67
State Aid Maintenance Account .....	1,057 40
State Aid Construction Account .....	682 94
Tax on Intangibles .....	8,654 61
Cash in Treasury .....	8,383 19
Balance indebtedness .....	262,328 53
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	\$294,608 87
Net Debt December 31, 1924 ....	\$277,223 47
Net Debt December 31, 1925 ....	262,328 53
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Decrease of debt, 1925 .....	\$14,894 94

## TRANSFER ACCOUNT.

### Dr.

To total appropriations .....	\$237,419 95
Discounts 1925 Tax List .....	3,105 69
Abatements 1923 Tax List .....	160 97
Abatements 1924 Tax List .....	821 62
Abatements 1925 Tax List .....	703 30
Highways, overdrawn .....	1,707 94
Garbage removal, overdrawn .....	1,896 73
State Aid Maintenance, overdrawn .....	1,351 62
Fire Department, overdrawn .....	1,631 18
Salaries, overdrawn .....	147 00
City Poor, overdrawn .....	197 11
Poll taxes, paid to State .....	770 00
Land on Plains, no appropriation .....	500 00
Decrease of debt, 1925 .....	14,894 94
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	\$265,308 05

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Tax list, 1925 .....	\$204,957 04
Interest, 1923 Tax List .....	53 52
Interest, 1924 Tax List .....	356 96
Interest, 1925 Tax List .....	72 41
Subsequent Assessments, 1924 tax list .....	107 65
Subsequent Assessments, 1925 Tax List .....	1,468 55
Interest, 1922 Tax List .....	23 45
National Bank Tax .....	1,204 49
Sidewalks, unexpended .....	180 19
Sewers, unexpended .....	92 62
Playgrounds, unexpended .....	250 00
Sewer maintenance, unexpended .....	38 19
Police, unexpended .....	197 88

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Memorial Hall, unexpended .....	121 43
Incidentals, unexpended .....	543 20
Memorial Day, unexpended .....	42 13
Street Lighting, unexpended .....	76 92
Heating Plant, unexpended .....	426 43
Tree Warden, unexpended .....	247 61
Interest Account, unexpended .....	556 64
Public Health Nurse, unexpended .....	96 13
Water Works Refunding Bonds, paid .....	6,000 00
Central Street Improvement Loan, paid .....	3,000 00
New Daniell Bridge Loan, paid .....	2,250 00
Junior High School Loan, paid .....	4,000 00
Sundry Receipts .....	30,290 00
Tax on Intangibles .....	8,654 61
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	\$265,308 05

**POLLS, VALUATION AND TAXES  
ASSESSED.**

The number of polls, and the taxes assessed on the real and personal estate in the city of Franklin since 1895:

Year	Polls	Valuation	Rate	Tax
1895	1231	\$2,415,286 00	\$1 70	\$41,059 00
1896	1271	2,507,300 00	1 86	45,131 40
1897	1173	2,540,285 00	1 85	46,995 27
1898	1162	2,546,606 00	1 85	47,112 21
1899	1300	2,603,070 00	1 85	48,156 79
1900	1347	2,663,171 00	1 85	49,268 66
1901	1361	2,690,093 00	1 85	49,766 72
1902	1317	2,695,891 00	1 85	49,783 32
1903	1419	2,746,356 00	1 85	50,807 57
1904	1587	2,788,385 00	1 85	51,585 11
1905	1458	2,835,802 00	1 85	52,462 34
1906	1418	2,861,276 00	1 85	52,933 59
1907	1519	2,894,501 00	1 85	53,548 27
1908	1593	3,072,387 00	1 85	56,836 69
1909	1594	3,113,864 00	2 20	68,505 00
1910	1732	3,115,756 00	2 20	68,546 63
1911	1739	3,255,276 00	2 20	71,616 07
1912	1632	4,887,179 00	1 65	80,638 76
1913	1663	5,048,625 00	1 65	83,302 31
1914	1846	4,971,712 00	1 65	85,725 24
1915	1869	4,981,388 00	1 65	85,930 90
1916	1897	5,170,030 00	1 65	89,099 50
1917	1833	5,293,396 00	1 80	98,947 13
1918	1676	5,640,802 00	2 00	116,168 04
1919	1573	6,373,927 00	2 30	151,319 32
1920	1700	6,474,296 00	2 24	153,166 23
1921	3481	7,005,079 00	2 50	175,126 98
1922	3613	7,600,090 00	2 30	174,802 07
1923	3636	7,621,832 00	2 60	198,167 62
1924	3330	7,557,809 00	2 70	204,060 84
1925	3300	7,502,194 00	2 60	195,057 04

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**MAYORS.**

Frank N. Parsons .....	1895
Edward H. Sturtevant .....	1896
Charles W. Adams .....	1897—1898
Frank H. Daniell .....	1899
Rufus G. Burleigh .....	1900—1901
Harry W. Daniell .....	1902
Isaac N. Blodgett .....	1903—1904
George E. Shepard .....	1905
Willie L. Whittier .....	1906
Michael J. Nevins .....	1907—1908
Enos K. Sawyer .....	1909—1910
Seth W. Jones .....	1911—1912
William W. Edwards .....	1913—1914
Daniel E. Davis .....	1915
Alexander A. Beaton .....	1916—1917
Edward G. Leach .....	1918—1919
Daniel N. Whittaker .....	1920—1921
Louis H. Douphinett .....	1922—1924
Elmer D. Kelley .....	1925—

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**FINANCIAL STANDING—NET DEBT.**

Dec. 31, 1895 .....	\$167,389 07
1896 .....	180,264 64
1897 .....	178,328 58
1898 .....	170,406 20
1899 .....	160,033 67
1900 .....	151,151 52
1901 .....	142,688 35
1902 .....	145,491 17
1903 .....	145,809 09
1904 .....	141,754 32
1905 .....	164,107 80
1906 .....	179,462 16
1907 .....	188,217 67
1908 .....	202,433 39



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1909	.....	215,749	33
1910	.....	224,793	20
1911	.....	221,825	19
1912	.....	213,072	03
1913	.....	205,039	47
1914	.....	201,643	54
1915	.....	202,931	73
1916	.....	213,583	23
1917	.....	232,455	86
1918	.....	222,028	71
1919	.....	209,462	69
1920	.....	215,112	15
1921	.....	222,869	69
1922	.....	246,673	01
1923	.....	292,791	96
1924	.....	277,223	47
1925	.....	262,328	53

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## FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

To the City Council of the City of Franklin:

The committee on finance has checked off the interest coupons paid during the year, amounting to five thousand eight hundred seven dollars and fifty cents (\$5807.50), also the Water Works Refunding Bonds of October 1, 1921, Numbers 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, amounting to six thousand dollars (\$6000.00) and have destroyed the same.

1925.

Jan. 1, On deposit in Franklin National Bank to pay interest coupons not presented in 1924 .....	\$35 00
Paid Franklin National Bank, in account of interest coupons becoming due during the year 1925	5,900 00
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	\$5,935 00
 Coupons presented for payment and destroyed by Finance Committee	 \$5,807 50
On deposit in Franklin National Bank to pay overdue coupons, 1925 account .....	 127 50
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	\$5,935 00

ELMER D. KELLEY,  
JAMES H. GERLACH,  
JOSEPH W. SINCLAIR,

Finance Committee.

## **CITY SOLICITOR'S REPORT.**

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The city has had no litigation or suits in court during the year and there is no pending controversy so far as I am advised, that is likely to cause litigation.

**EDWARD G. LEACH**, Solicitor.

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS.

The following funds have been placed in the care of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the City of Franklin in trust, the income to be expended in the care of various lots in cemeteries within the city, agreeable to Chapter 51 of the Public Statutes, and a resolution of the city council adopted September 3, 1900:

LOT	Amount of Fund	Unexpended Income January 1, 1925	Income Rec'd during year 1925	Amount Expended during year 19 25	Balance on hand January 1, 1926
Aiken-Burr .....	100 00	6 75	3 50	3 00	7 25
Aiken, Fred .....	200 00	15 00	7 00	5 00	17 00
Aiken, Herrick .....	100 00	3 46	3 50	3 00	3 96
Aiken, J. B. ....	100 00	3 46	3 50	3 00	3 96
Aiken, Walter .....	100 00	3 77	3 50	3 00	4 27
Ames, Arthur N. ....	75 00	44	2 63	3 00	07
Amesden, S. H. and A. A. Sleeper .....	100 00	3 33	3 50	5 00	1 83
Atwood, Mrs. L. G. ....	150 00	5 25	5 25	4 00	6 50
Babbitt, Charles M. ..	500 00	39 58	17 50	5 00	52 08
Balley, Frank C. ....	100 00	2 54	3 50	3 00	3 04
Baird, Susan Page ...	100 00	3 33	3 50	3 50	3 33
Baker, Mary E. ....	100 00	4 00	3 50	3 00	4 50
Ballou, Mary E. ....	100 00	2 67	3 50	3 00	3 17
Bartlett, Charles W. ..	100 00	1 19	3 50	3 00	1 69
Bartlett, Grace .....	37 00	2 03	1 30	1 25	2 08
Beaupre, Sarah F. ....	100 00	3 50	3 50	3 50	3 50
Beckman, R. ....	50 00	1 94	1 75	1 75	1 94
Blodgett, Isaac N. ....	100 00	4 08	3 50	3 50	4 08
Brock, John F. ....	50 00	15	1 75	1 75	15
Brockway, Lot .....	100 00	2 54	3 50	3 00	3 04
Brockway Lot for flow- ers .....	25 00	1 40	88	50	1 78
Brown, Ephraim .....	100 00	3 92	3 50	3 00	4 42
Brown, Katie F. ....	100 00		2 62	2 00	62
Bucklin, C. C. ....	100 00	1 04	3 50	3 00	1 54
Bucklin-Currier .....	100 00	2 13	3 50	3 50	2 13

LOT	Amount of Fund	Unexpended Income January 1, 1925	Income Rec'd during year 1925	Amount Expended during year 1925	Balance on hand January 1, 1926
Buell, George E. ....	100 00	8 00	3 50	3 50	8 00
Burbank, Moses M. ...	50 00	6 50	1 75	1 75	6 50
Burleigh, Gordon H. and Lizzie C. ....	250 00		5 10		5 10
Burleigh, N. B. ....	50 00	1 25	1 75	1 75	1 25
Burleigh, R. G. (Webster Place Cemetery)	200 00	38 75	7 00		45 75
Burley, John S. ....	50 00		1 75	1 75	
Call, C. T. (Simonds Cemetery) . ....	150 00	25 25	5 25		30 50
Calley, Benjamin ....	100 00	1 58	3 50	3 00	2 08
Calley, Ela Est. ....	75 00	5 48	2 63	2 50	5 61
Calley, Frank M. and Martha J. ....	100 00		1 75		1 75
Calley, Freeman A. ...	100 00	2 33	3 50	5 00	83
Calley, Richard ....	75 00	3 46	2 63	2 50	3 59
Campbell, Horace J....	100 00	1 92	3 50	3 00	2 42
Cate, E. G. ....	150 00	12 46	5 25	4 00	13 71
Cawley, Charles W. ..	125 00	11 09	4 38	5 00	10 47
Chapman, F. H. ....	200 00	6 34	7 00	5 00	8 34
Chase, Angenette ....	100 00	3 21	3 50	3 50	3 21
Cheney, Henry P. ....	125 00	5 89	4 38	5 00	5 27
Cheney, Mrs. H. P. (for Sanborn Cemetery) .	100 00	9 08	3 50	3 00	9 58
Cilley, J. H. ....	75 00	10 99	2 63	1 75	11 87
Clark, Jere G. ....	100 00	5 46	3 50	3 00	5 96
Clement, J. W. B. ....	200 00	18 00	7 00	3 00	22 00
Clement, Sarah H. ....	50 00	1 35	1 75	1 50	1 60
Colburn, Eunice G. ...	200 00	14 08	7 00	6 00	15 08
Colby, C. W. and J. B. Batchelder . ....	225 00	23 79	7 88	8 00	23 67
Colby, Ellen E. ....	100 00	5 09	3 50	3 00	5 59
Colby, F. W. ....	75 00	6 65	2 63	3 00	6 28
Colby, Lucy D. ....	50 00	29	1 75	1 75	29
Colby, Mary J. ....	2000 00	217 50	70 00	25 00	262 50
Colby and Morse (Simonds Cemetery) ...	302 00	113 86	10 57		124 43
Collins, L. Marlon Est. (for Webster Lake Cemetery) . ....	400 00	148 02	14 00		162 02
Connor, M. H. ....	50 00	88	1 75	2 00	63
Crossland, Martha ....	75 00	5 72	2 63	3 00	5 35
Crowell, Clara J. Est.	200 00	3 42	7 00	7 00	3 42
Currier, Garicia L. ...	150 00	2 05	5 25	2 00	5 30
Danforth, Jennie ....	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75

LOT	Amount of Fund	Unexpended Income January 1, 1925	Income Rec'd during year 1925	Amount Expended dur- ing year 1925	Balance on hand January 1, 1926
Daniels, George .....	100 00	11 58	3 50	3 00	12 08
Davenport, Emily A. ..	100 00	4 83	3 50	3 50	4 83
Davis, Albert C. ....	100 00	6 04	3 50	2 50	7 04
Davis, C. B. ....	100 00	4 54	3 50	3 00	5 04
Davis, Daniel E. ....	150 00	3 31	3 25	3 00	3 56
Davis, Mrs. J. T. ....	100 00	3 17	3 50	3 00	3 67
Davis, O. B. ....	100 00	8 29	3 50	3 00	8 79
Davis, W. M. ....	75 00	23	2 63	2 50	36
Devereaux, W. H. ....	50 00	98	1 75	1 75	98
Dimond, Mrs. F. W....	75 00	2 25	2 63	2 50	2 38
Dimond, Sylvia J. ....	75 00	39	2 63	2 50	52
Dodge, John F. ....	100 00	2 50	3 50	3 50	2 50
Draper, Warren M. ...	150 00	40 37	5 25	4 00	41 62
Draper, Mrs. W. M. ...	2000 00	274 27	70 00	25 00	319 27
Duffy, Dennis .....	100 00	8 58	3 50	3 00	9 08
Duffy, M. and G. E. ..	200 00	14 29	7 00	6 00	15 29
Davis, R. M. ....	100 00	1 38	3 50	3 00	1 88
Eastman, Fred A. ....	50 00	3 55	1 75	1 75	3 55
Eaton, Lill M. ....	50 00	1 95	1 75	1 75	1 95
Eaton, Mary J. ....	200 00		4 08		4 08
Eaton, Roswell G. ....	100 00	4 88	3 50	3 00	5 38
Edgerly, Mary A. Est.	50 00	8 77	1 75	1 25	9 27
Elliott, Florence G. ...	50 00		1 17	1 00	17
Ellsworth, Emeretta ..	75 00	9 03	2 63	2 50	9 16
Emerson, Ida A. ....	100 00	2 21	3 50	4 00	1 71
Emerson, Stephen H. ...	100 00	3 41	3 50	3 00	3 91
Emery, Alphonse .....	37 50	1 49	1 31	1 25	1 55
Enos, David .....	75 00	87	2 63	2 00	1 50
Enos, Joseph .....	75 00	2 56	2 63	2 50	2 69
Evans, Ransom F. ....	350 00	49 85	12 25	15 00	47 10
Fifield, Emily .....	25 00	2 04	88	1 50	1 42
Fifield, John W. ....	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Flanders, Frederick ..	100 00	29	3 50	3 00	79
Floyd, James K. ....	50 00	1 66	1 75	1 75	1 66
Fortier, Wm. J. ....	100 00	17	3 50	3 50	17
Foskett, E. E. ....	50 00	3 06	1 75	1 50	3 31
Fottler, Jacob .....	200 00	16 50	7 00	8 00	15 50
Fowler, Alice D. ....	50 00	2 29	1 75	1 75	2 29
French, Charles B. ...	100 00	2 38	3 50	3 00	2 88
Frost, Charles .....	50 00		1 02		1 02
Frost, Charles H. ....	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Frost, George W. ....	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Frost, Mary .....	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Fullington, Lizzie ....	100 00		2 04	1 50	54
George, D. A. ....	100 00	6 08	3 50	4 00	5 58

LOT	Amount of Fund	Unexpended Income January 1, 1925	Income Rec'd during year 1925	Amount Expended during year 1925	Balance on hand January 1, 1926
George, Neva H. ....	100 00	1 71	3 50	3 00	2 21
Gerrish, Leonard ....	100 00	10 58	3 50	3 00	11 08
Gifford, Sarah J. ....	25 00	80	88	75	93
Gilchrist-Swain .....	200 00	3 00	7 00	8 00	2 00
Gile, Alfred A. ....	100 00	3 50	3 50	3 50	3 50
Goodale, Fred U. ....	75 00	2 19	2 63	2 50	2 32
Gordon, Charles S. ....	50 00	34	1 75	1 75	34
Greeley, Clara E. ....	50 00	1 04	1 75	1 75	1 04
Greeley, George I. ....	100 00	7 04	3 50	3 50	7 04
Greeley, Ira .....	150 00	13 69	5 25	5 00	13 94
Greeley, Pell M. and Mrs. A. J. Thurston	200 00	15 08	7 00	8 00	14 08
Green, George .....	100 00	1 58	3 50	3 00	2 08
Green, Henry C. ....	100 00	2 08	3 50	3 00	2 58
Hale, Isaac (Webster Lake Cemetery) ....	200 00	63 87	7 00		70 87
Haley, D. N. ....	100 00	2 88	3 50	3 50	2 88
Hall, Mrs. E. G. ....	100 00	2 97	3 50	3 00	3 47
Hall, Mrs. F. W. ....	50 00	44	1 75	1 75	44
Hammond, Freeman ..	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Hancock, H. ....	200 00	29 75	7 00	7 00	29 75
Hancock, William H..	75 00	6 80	2 63	3 00	6 43
Hardy, Jameson .....	100 00	1 67	3 50	3 00	2 17
Harmon, George A. ...	25 00	99	88	75	1 12
Harrison, Mrs. P. C. ...	40 00	93	1 40	1 00	1 33
Heath, E. R. ....	50 00	21	1 75	1 75	21
Heath, Hannah O. ....	50 00	1 02	1 75	1 75	1 02
Heath, Samuel .....	100 00	3 50	3 50	3 50	3 50
Herrick, Daniel .....	50 00	6 25	1 75	1 00	7 00
Hersey, Maria C. ....	100 00	2 83	3 50	3 00	3 33
Howe, John N. ....	100 00	5 31	3 50	3 00	5 81
Hoyt, I. B. ....	100 00	4 37	3 50	3 00	4 87
Huntoon, D. T. ....	100 00	2 15	3 50	3 00	2 65
Ingalls, Horace .....	100 00	2 83	3 50	3 50	2 83
Johnson, S. D. and A. B.	100 00	4 88	3 50	3 00	5 38
Jones, Edgar A. ....	100 00	1 75	3 50	3 50	1 75
Keiser, Nancy J. ....	50 00	1 02	1 75	1 75	1 02
Kelley-Norris .....	100 00	1 33	3 50	3 50	1 33
Kennedy, P. L. ....	100 00	1 50	3 50	5 00	
Kenrick Lot .....	250 00	4 70	8 75	12 00	1 45
Kimball, Elvira .....	50 00	93	1 75	1 75	93
Knox, Ann M. ....	100 00	3 25	3 50	3 00	3 75
Ladd, Dudley .....	200 00	14 91	7 00	8 00	13 91
Lane, Gilman D. ....	100 00	1 38	3 50	3 00	1 88

LOT	Amount of Fund	Unexpended Income January 1, 1925	Income Rec'd during year 1925	Amount Expended during year 1925	Balance on hand January 1, 1926
Lang, John A. and Bickford .....	100 00	3 50	3 50	3 50	3 50
Locke, Horace .....	37 50	3 44	1 31	1 00	3 75
McClure, Christina ....	150 00	28 69	5 25	8 00	25 94
McDonald, Addie .....	100 00	2 04	3 50	3 00	2 54
McDougall, H. C. ....	100 00	4 40	3 50	3 00	4 90
Marsh, J. and Frank H.	150 00	4 50	5 25	6 00	3 75
Martin, Etta D. ....	50 00	1 21	1 75	1 75	1 21
Mathews, Frank A. ...	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Messer, Alonzo .....	100 00	5 00	3 50	3 00	5 50
Messer, John .....	58 00	93	2 03	1 75	1 21
Messer, Nancy L. ....	100 00	17 33	3 50	3 00	17 83
Mitchell, Lucie E. ....	150 00	27 87	5 25	4 00	29 12
Morey, Carlos .....	100 00	5 46	3 50	3 00	5 96
Morrill, Joseph E. ....	75 00	60	2 63	3 00	23
Morrill, Luther H. and Otis B. ....	100 00	3 75	3 50	3 00	4 25
Morrison, Asa .....	100 00	7 63	3 50	3 00	8 13
Morrison, Frank L. ...	200 00	12 50	7 00	10 00	9 50
Morrison, Thomas W...	200 00	10 01	7 00	7 00	10 01
Moulton, Ianthe .....	50 00	2 21	1 75	1 50	2 46
Nelson, Martin M. ....	50 00	1 00	1 75	1 75	1 00
Noyes, Carlos E. ....	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Noyes, Edward R. ....	50 00	1 50	1 75	1 75	1 50
Nudd, Carlos E. ....	300 00	20 80	10 50	12 00	19 30
Osgood, Calvin .....	100 00	7 04	3 50	3 00	7 54
Page, A. W. ....	50 00	2 67	1 75	1 75	2 67
Peabody, Mrs. James B.	50 00	1 02	1 75	1 75	1 02
Pearson, William F. ...	75 00	6 54	2 63	3 00	6 17
Peel, Gledhill .....	50 00		1 75	1 00	75
Penniman, Charles ....	50 00	1 60	1 75	1 75	1 60
Pike, Austin F. ....	75 00	2 10	2 63	3 00	1 73
Pike, W. F. ....	75 00	2 01	2 63	2 50	2 14
Poor, B. N. ....	100 00		2 33	1 00	1 33
Poor, Mrs. J. O. ....	75 00	1 15	2 63	2 50	1 28
Prescott, B. M. ....	200 00	1 50	7 00	7 00	1 50
Proctor, Alexis .....	200 00	12 75	7 00	5 00	14 75
Proctor, H. E. ....	100 00		3 50	3 00	50
Proctor, Isaac and N.M.	100 00	3 50	3 50	3 50	3 50
Proctor, Milton .....	100 00	3 46	3 50	3 00	3 96
Provo, Nelson .....	50 00	2 32	1 75	1 50	2 57
Richardson, Levi .....	100 00	75	3 50	3 50	75
Robie, George B. ....	75 00	8 89	2 63	2 50	9 02
Robie, Merrill .....	60 00	4 55	2 10	2 50	4 15
Robie, Samuel .....	100 00	1 88	3 50	5 00	38



LOT	Amount of Fund	Unexpended Income January 1, 1925	Income Rec'd during year 1925	Amount Expended during year 1925	Balance on hand January 1, 1926
Rowe, Charles C. ....	60 00	5 86	2 10	1 75	6 21
Rowell, Horace N. ....	75 00	3 30	2 63	2 50	3 43
Rowell, J. H. Est. ....	75 00	74	2 63	3 00	37
Rumsey, George W. ...	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75
Russell, J. W. ....	75 00	1 22	2 63	3 00	85
Sanborn, Mrs. A. D. ...	50 00	1 02	1 75	1 75	1 02
Sanborn, Charlotte M..	150 00	1 44	5 25	5 00	1 69
Sanborn, Clara J. ....	100 00	3 92	3 50	2 00	5 42
Sanborn, Hiram ....	100 00	7 18	3 50	3 00	7 68
Sanborn, J. F. ....	100 00	2 02	3 50	3 00	2 52
Sanborn, Lucretia ....	1000 00	256 50	35 00	25 00	266 50
Sanger, Herbert ....	100 00	4 47	3 50	3 00	4 97
Sargent, J. Ray ....	75 00	15 78	2 63	2 50	15 91
Savage, William T. ....	75 00	7 32	2 63	3 00	6 95
Shaw, Byron ....	100 00	3 17	3 50	3 00	3 67
Shepard, Caroline S. ..	200 00	7 17	7 00	6 00	8 17
Sleeper, Lyman B. ....	100 00	20 83	3 50	3 00	21 33
Smith, James ....	500 00	117 00	17 50	12 00	122 50
Stearns, C. O. and L. M. Knight .....	100 00	3 50	3 50	3 50	3 50
Stevens, F. D. and William (Webster Place Cemetery) .....	100 00	21 00	3 50		24 50
Stevens, Mary A. ....	100 00	1 00	3 50	3 00	1 50
Stewart, Alexander ...	100 00	1 00	3 50	3 00	1 50
Stewart, J. Thomas ...	100 00	2 71	3 50	3 00	3 21
Stone, George R. ....	700 00	65 75	24 50	15 00	75 25
Straw, Daniel D. ....	100 00	15 25	3 50	3 00	15 75
Sweatt, John W. ....	100 00	4 29	3 50	3 50	4 29
Taylor, John (Webster Place Cemetery) ....	100 00	16 63	3 50		20 13
Taylor, Maria S. and Alice E. Sanborn ....	100 00		2 62		2 62
Thompson, Andrew C..	50 00	14	1 75	1 75	14
Thompson, D. T. ....	75 00	1 47	2 63	2 50	1 60
Thompson, L. G. ....	100 00	1 67	3 50	3 00	2 17
Thompson, Seth ....	50 00	1 79	1 75	1 75	1 79
Thompson, Taylor P. ...	100 00	71	3 50	3 00	1 21
Thompson, Taylor P. for flowers .....	100 00	5 11	3 50	1 60	7 01
Thompson, Thomas P.	50 00	2 77	1 75	1 75	2 77
Thompson, W. W. ....	75 00	86	2 63	2 50	99
Thorne, Jeremiah ....	258 00	48 54	9 03	6 00	51 57
Thurston, Abner ....	200 00	34 33	7 00	5 00	36 33
Tilton, Albert C. ....	100 00	1 17	3 50	3 50	1 17

LOT	Amount of Fund	Unexpended Income January 1, 1925	Income Rec'd during year 1925	Amount Expended dur- ing year 1925	Balance on hand January 1, 1926
Toomer, George A. ...	100 00	1 83	3 50	3 00	2 33
Tuttle, Jacob B. ....	150 00	9 38	5 25	5 00	9 63
Wadleigh, John B. Est.	50 00	29	1 75	1 75	29
Wadleigh, Jonathan T.	100 00	1 96	3 50	3 00	2 46
Wadleigh, Warren ....	100 00	6 21	3 50	4 00	5 71
Wadleigh and Woodman	25 00	1 12	88	1 00	1 00
Wallace, Ephraim L. ..	100 00	1 96	3 50	3 00	2 46
Warren, James B. Est.	100 00	29	3 50	3 50	29
Webster, C. P., D. P.					
Hardy, E. L. Sanborn and E. D. Currier ...	100 00	6 62	3 50	3 00	7 12
Weeks, Samuel D. ....	50 00	1 17	1 75	1 75	1 17
Wells, Joseph H. ....	100 00	1 17	3 50	3 50	1 17
White, Thomas R. ....	75 00	9 66	2 63	3 00	9 29
Whitehead, Armenia ..	100 00	3 17	3 50	3 50	3 17
Whittier, True P. ....	100 00	50	3 50	3 00	1 00
Wiggin, Joseph Est. ..	35 00	95	1 23	1 50	68
Wilson, E. F. ....	50 00	1 75	1 75	1 50	2 00
Wilson, Ellen M. for S. Sawyer . ....	75 00	4 09	2 63	3 00	3 72
Wilson, Job . ....	100 00	20 00	3 50	3 00	20 50
Wise, Thomas . ....	100 00	5 75	3 50	3 00	6 25
Woodward, D. S. and A. A. . ....	176 00	14 57	6 16	7 00	13 73
Woodward, M. G. ....	100 00	5 50	3 50	2 00	7 00
Woodward, Sarah W. .	100 00	2 83	3 50	3 00	3 33
Yeaton, Frank E. ....	75 00	3 12	2 63	2 50	3 25
Young, Ethel L. ....	100 00	1 33	3 50	3 00	1 83
Judkins, Richard . ....	100 00	88	3 50	3 00	1 38
Cheney, Ann N. ....	100 00				
Dorr, Mrs. J. B. ....	75 00		44		44
Blodgett, Monira P. ...	50 00		29		29
Smith, John C. ....	100 00		29		29
Burley, Curtis B. ....	100 00		29		29
Bailey, Sarah M. ....	50 00		15		15
	32276 00	2622 91	1100 67	860 35	2863 23

Davidson, Sarah J. ... | 2000 00 | | 25 00 |

**MARY J. COLBY FUND.**

In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

A resolution relating to the Mary J. Colby Fund.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin as follows:*

Whereas, By the terms of the will of the late Mary J. Colby, the sum of ten thousand dollars has been given to the City of Franklin, N. H., in trust, the income to be used annually for the support of the poor of said city, and the principal to be known as the Mary J. Colby Fund:

*Be it Resolved*, That the City of Franklin, N. H. in accepting said trust fund hereby votes that same shall be deposited by the Treasurer of said city as follows, to wit: That the sum of five thousand dollars shall be deposited to the credit of the City of Franklin, in the Franklin Savings Bank of Franklin, N. H., \*(and the sum of twenty five hundred dollars shall be deposited to the credit of the City of Franklin in each of the following named banks to wit: New Hampshire Savings Bank and Merrimack County Savings Bank, both of Concord, N. H.), to be known as the Mary J. Colby Fund, and that the annual interest or dividends paid by said banks on said deposits shall be expended for the benefit of the poor of Franklin, N. H., by an agent who shall be elected by the City Council of said city of Franklin, for a term of one year, and that said agent shall annually make a return to said city of the names of the persons assisted and the amounts to each, but that said names shall not be included in the list of paupers, or published.

Approved, W. W. EDWARDS, *Mayor*.

Passed September 8, 1913.

\*Enclosed clause repealed February 6, 1922.

That part of the above resolution relating to "an agent who shall be elected by the City Council" was repealed September 13, 1915, and trustees appointed under provisions of Chapter 162, laws of 1915.

February 6, 1922. Amended by authorizing the Trustees of Trust Funds to withdraw said money and invest same in the Bonds of the City of Franklin.

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS.

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### THE CHARITY FUND.

#### Mary J. Colby Fund.

Deposited in Franklin Savings Bank .....	\$5,000 00
City of Franklin Bonds .....	5,000 00

#### Ransom F. Evans Fund.

City of Franklin Bonds .....	2,000 00
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#### Frank H. Chapman Fund.

City of Franklin Bonds .....	3,000 00
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	\$15,000 00

Cash in Franklin National Bank, Jan. 1, 1925	\$307 06
Coupons and Dividends .....	953 08
Cash loan repaid .....	10 00
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	\$1,270 14

Paid check out January 1, 1924 .....	\$50 00
To persons in need .....	924 75
Cash in Franklin National Bank, Jan. 1, 1926	295 39
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	\$1,270 14

Respectfully submitted,

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS,

by Omar A. Towne, Trustee.

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**TRUST FUNDS OF THE FRANKLIN PUBLIC  
LIBRARY.**

Jeremiah Clark Fund, Indianapolis Light & Heat Gold Bond .....	\$1,000 00
Michael and Mary Duffy Fund, Swiss Confed- eration Bonds, Liberty Bonds and Treas- ury Savings Certificates .....	2,500 00
Frank and Ella Chapman Fund, Liberty Bonds	2,344 81
Mary D. Aiken Fund, Liberty Bonds .....	1,148 52
Frank L. Morrison Fund, Liberty Bonds .....	574 26
Harriet Sanborn Jones Fund, Franklin Savings Bank .....	100 00
Florence Greeley Fund, Franklin Savings Bank	50 00
Contributors' Fund, Franklin Water Works Re- funding Bonds .....	2,000 00

A. M. HANCOCK, Treasurer.

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**CEMETERY TRUST FUND.**

Notes on hand Dec. 31, 1924 .....	\$30,751 00
Sums received in 1925 for permanent care of lots	1,525 00
Total on hand Dec. 31, 1925 .....	<u>\$32,276 00</u>

**Interest Account Cemetery Trust Fund.**

Cash on hand Franklin Savings Bank Dec. 31, 1924 .....	\$3,454 58
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Received:—

Oct. 1st, Dividend Franklin Savings Bank ....	\$137 61
Oct. 6th, Interest Bonds Davidson Est. ....	100 00
Dec. 18th, Interest Cemetery Trust Funds ..	1,100 67
Total .....	<u>\$1,338 28</u>

Paid:—

June 23, Webster Place Cemetery, care of lots	\$60 00
July 1, Franklin Cemetery, care of lots ....	350 00
Oct. 2, Webster Lake Cemetery, care of lots	4 00
Oct. 23, Franklin Cemetery, care of lots .....	535 35
Dec. 31, Call Cemetery .....	7 00

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\$956 35

Balance on hand Franklin Savings Bank, Dec.  
31, 1925 ..... \$3,836 51

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS,

by Richard W. Sulloway, Trustee.

## FRANKLIN PARK COMMISSION.

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### TREASURER'S REPORT.

#### Receipts.

Cash on hand January 1, 1925 .....	\$126 67
Rent of Daniell Park Buildings .....	120 00
Odell Park Cottage Fund Interest .....	160 00
Odell Park Memorial Arch Fund Interest .....	160 00
Appropriation by City Council .....	500 00
Rentals, Odell Park .....	71 00
Sale of grass, Odell Park .....	16 00
Refund, Franklin, National Bank account	
Leighton taking out ashes .....	9 10
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	\$1,162 77

#### Disbursements.

##### Daniell Park.

Judkins & Wallace, repairs .....	\$1 00
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##### Odell Park.

E. S. Morrison, services as caretaker .....	\$624 00
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights at cottage	15 64
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights in park ..	19 72
Central N. H. Telephone Co. ....	15 83
Extra labor .....	50 59
Keegan & French, paint .....	9 90
George E. Clark, teams .....	13 00
C. S. Hinds, labor on screens .....	18 75
G. O. Thompson, paint and brushes .....	3 75
Arthur Duhamel, repairs .....	2 76
Dion Brothers, coal .....	81 25

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L. C. Leighton, teams and labor .....	28 70
G. S. Holmes, repairs to grandstand .....	90 00
Sundry Supplies .....	7 81
Cash on hand December 31 .....	180 07
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	\$1,162 77

**Webster Lake Park Fund.**

Jan. 1, On deposit Franklin Savings Bank, book No. 21,913 .....	\$3,919 69
Oct. 1, Extra Dividend .....	17 82
Dividend No. 56 .....	156 11
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Dec. 31, Total on deposit .....	\$4,093 62

A. M. HANCOCK, Treasurer.



# Franklin Public Library Association.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Trustees of the Franklin Public Library:

### Receipts.

Balance, January 1 Franklin National Bank..	\$67 14
Balance, January 1 Franklin Savings Bank ....	972 35
Balance, January 1 in hands of Librarian ....	18 74
City Appropriation .....	4,200 00
Endowments .....	522 49
Fines .....	304 38
Rent of Books .....	283 69
Rent of Buildings .....	35 00
Sale of Books and Maps .....	102 74
Sale of Old Papers .....	5 81
Gifts:	
Dr. William E. Keith .....	25 00
Woman's Club .....	10 00
Miss Scribner .....	17 78
Savings Bank, dividends .....	24 36
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	\$6,589 48

### Disbursements.

Books and Rebinding .....	\$950 30
Salaries, Librarian .....	1,440 00
Salaries, Assistants .....	1,483 18
Janitor Service .....	300 00
Heat .....	400 00
Light .....	225 95
Up Keep .....	271 04
Insurance .....	120 90
Supplies and Incidental Expenses .....	70 13
Branch .....	299 38
Balance, Dec. 31, Franklin National Bank ....	510 41
Balance, Dec. 31, Franklin Savings Bank .....	505 71
Balance, Dec. 31 in hands of Librarian .....	12 48
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	\$6,589 48

A. M. HANCOCK, Treasurer.

## FRANKLIN PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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To the Mayor and Members of the City Council:—

The City Library Trustees submit herewith the reports of the Treasurer and Librarian for the past year.

Your very close attention to the Librarian's report is requested. Valuable work among the citizenship of our city is being carried on by this institution. The Librarian's report very explicitly tells the story.

The city has been fortunate in not being obliged to bear the full burden of expense of conducting the work of the library. Revenues outside of the city appropriation have enabled the institution to keep within its requirements. An additional appropriation from the city to permit the Library to use its own funds for purchase of books and otherwise expanding the usefulness of the library would be a fair and appropriate consideration to give the institution for the excellent benefit it is to the people of our city.

W. F. DUFFY, Chairman,

Board of Trustees.

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

To the Trustees of the Franklin Public Library:

The year 1925 has been the busiest ever experienced in the history of the Library. According to library authorities the circulation of books should equal five times the number of inhabitants of a town. This has been exceeded in our case by over 24,000 volumes, giving us a per capita circulation of 11.3.

The full record of books loaned is given below, and forms interesting reading in comparison with that of former years. Although the number of new titles added is smaller than in 1924, our circulation has been larger, showing that the library has been stocked with books that are wanted, and that they have been read by many people. The total circulation of 55,818 volumes does not cover the reference work done each day, of which no estimate could be given.

The relation between the schools and library has been unusually happy, not only have the pupils been daily visitors, but each and every pupil of the High and the Junior High schools, has received instruction in the use of the card-catalogue and the standard reference books by Miss Mildred Peaslee, assistant librarian.

During Education Week Miss Peaslee addressed both the high schools on library matters, and the Fourth Grade pupils, who had prepared essays on the books that they had read, were invited to the library to read them. Mrs. Shirley visited some of the grade schools at this time.

One pleasing part of the interchange between library and schools was the visit of a committee from one of the lower grades to learn what was considered "good library manners."

Service to the adult population has suffered, in a degree, from this consuming appetite of the schools. Of the 600 new titles added during the year, over 200 were for the use of the schools. Our replacements were largely of this nature, for children are "hard" readers, and even iron-bound books would show the effect. Many older people with leisure to read, scan the shelves for new fiction that we have not been able to supply.

The literary map made last year by Miss Peaslee and Mrs. Shirley still commands a good sale. Over \$34.00 has been realized for the library through this map.

The use of the library building by the Red Cross, Hospital Aid, Farm Bureau and other organizations for civic betterment, while it does not bring any revenue, should be taken into account in any estimate of the library's usefulness. Its central location, light and well-ventilated rooms, the cheerful service of the library staff, the nearness to schools and the shopping district; all make toward a very thorough use of all the facilities the library offers. Since 1914 this work which is purely philanthropic on our part, has been going on in increasing measure. As this is being written the call has come from a family burned out but yesterday, for clothing for a family of six.

One dollar per capita is a small appropriation to support this "port of first call."

Faithfully submitted,

MRS. BARRON SHIRLEY.

#### Statistics For the Year of 1925.

Number of volumes accessioned at the beginning of 1926 .....	15,784
Number added by purchase during the year ....	473
Number added by gift .....	127
Federal, State and Town documents added .....	7
Number of magazines added by binding .....	11
Total added .....	618
Number of newspapers currently received .....	6
Number of magazines currently received .....	49
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent, adult ....	4,543
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent, juvenile .....	5,736
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent, total ....	10,279
Number of volumes of fiction lent, adult .....	32,704
Number of volumes of fiction lent, juvenile .....	11,424
	44,128
Number of unbound magazines lent .....	1,411
Total circulation for the year of 1925 .....	55,818

# BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

1925.

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HARRY F. DAVIS,  
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## Chairman

HARRY F. DAVIS.

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## Clerk

IRVING V. GOSS.

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## Superintendent

HARRY E. LYON.

## REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

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To the City Council of the City of Franklin:

The Water Commissioners of the City of Franklin, respectfully submit the following report for the year, 1925:

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1925.		
Jan. 1,	To balance from last report.....	\$5,916 16
	To collected for water rents.....	15,528 34
	To collected on service account....	936 98
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		\$22,381 48

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By amount paid on Service account	\$1,169 48
By amount paid on Expense account	12,424 98
By amount paid on Repairs account	90 89
By amount paid on Meter account..	679 55
By amount paid on Hospital Extension account.....	1,208 22
By cash on hand .....	6,808 36
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	\$22,381 48

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## EXPENDITURE FOR MAINTENANCE.

Expense.

Feb. 11,	Sundry cash items .....	\$10 57
	Labor pay rolls.....	644 38
	Franklin Light & Power Co., power	
	Bow street station .....	26 83
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights	
	Memorial street .....	2 52

	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service, January .....	6 33
	Shepard Bros., rent for January....	18 00
	E. G. & E. W. Leach, insurance....	7 50
	L. J. Cherrier, one grate bar and grate bed for Heatrola.....	3 75
	Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co., charts .....	15 15
	Thomas F. Clifford, insurance.....	11 50
	H. E. Colby, labor.....	1 35
	C. P. Stevens, sundries.....	4 77
	Bow Street Garage, labor and supplies .....	11 81
	Sulloway Mills, labor.....	8 98
Mar. 15,	Sundry cash items .....	12 16
	Labor pay rolls .....	523 13
	Franklin Light & Power Co., Memorial Street lights.....	2 40
	Shepard Bros., rent for February...	18 00
	Clarence P. Stevens, sundries.....	2 17
	Franklin Light & Power Co., thawing pipes .....	180 00
	Franklin Light & Power Co., current for quarter, ended January 1, 1925 .....	112 50
	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service, February .....	6 33
	Franklin Light & Power Co., power, Bow street .....	51 67
Apr. 16,	Sundry cash items .....	1 85
	Labor pay rolls.....	426 75
	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service, March .....	6 33
	Towne & Robie, water bills.....	15 00
	Franklin Light & Power Co., Memorial street lights.....	1 76
	Shepard Bros., rent for March.....	18 00
	Franklin Light & Power Co., excess pumping at Pemigewasset station, 1924.....	34 22
	Shepard Bros., one pair rubber boots	6 50

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May 18, Sundry cash items.....	11 97
Labor pay rolls .....	527 00
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights, Memorial street .....	1 20
Franklin Light & Power Co., power, Bow street .....	41 34
Central N. H. Telephone Co., serv- ice for April .....	6 33
Chadwick & Kidder, pine.....	55
Shepard Bros., rent for April.....	18 00
Clarence P. Stevens, sundries.....	4 18
Pierce-Perry Co., set of dies for die stock .....	1 35
H. E. Colby, labor.....	8 25
June 16, Sundry cash items .....	7 81
Labor pay rolls .....	520 25
Thomas Clifford, insurance.....	39 80
Franklin Light & Power Co., power, Bow street .....	25 61
Edson Mfg. Co., diaphragms.....	5 54
Gulf Refining Co., engine oil.....	26 95
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights, Memorial street .....	1 32
Central N. H. Telephone Co., serv- ice for May.....	6 33
Addressograph Co., compression cocks .....	1 45
Bow Street Garage, repairs and sup- plies .....	5 80
Towne & Robie, two signs.....	2 00
Shepard Bros., rent for May.....	18 00
Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies.....	97 34
Fred A. Handlette & Son, pipe.....	334 20
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on pipe .....	37 80
July 15, Sundry cash items .....	21 50
Labor pay rolls .....	596 77
Franklin Light & Power Co., power, Bow street .....	16 83
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights, Memorial street .....	1 00



	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for June .....	6 43
	Franklin Mills, labor .....	85
	Irving V. Goss, salary as clerk for six months .....	100 00
	Electro Bleaching Gas Co., chlorine .....	30 00
	H. E. Colby, labor .....	11 77
	Franklin Light & Power Co., current for six months .....	225 00
	Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coal...	68 98
	Shepard Bros., rent for June.....	18 00
	Prescott's Garage, labor.....	1 53
	International Paper Co., labor on water wheel .....	79 67
Aug. 21,	Labor pay rolls .....	750 00
	Sundry cash items .....	9 03
	Franklin Light & Power Co., power, Bow street .....	23 73
	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for July .....	6 33
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights Memorial street .....	1 08
	C. P. Stevens, sundries.....	12 17
	Shepard Bros., rent for July.....	18 00
	Franklin Light & Power Co., labor on motor .....	3 20
	Franklin Light & Power Co., Glenwood Avenue lights.....	3 00
Sept. 21,	Sundry cash items.....	13 64
	Labor pay rolls .....	786 21
	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for August.....	7 08
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights, Memorial street .....	1 43
	Shepard Bros., rent for August....	18 00
	Clarence P. Stevens, sundries.....	11 52
	Beaupre Bros. Foundry, labor on water wheel .....	144 28
	Wallace & Tiernan, repairs.....	13 65
	Franklin Light & Power Co., contacts for starter .....	9 00

	Chadwick & Kidder, cement.....	4 25
	Bow Street Garage, supplies and labor .....	5 36
Oct. 16,	Labor pay rolls .....	461 27
	Sundry cash items .....	7 14
	Franklin Light & Power Co., lights, Memorial street .....	1 86
	Shepard Bros., rent for September..	18 00
	C. P. Stevens, sundries.....	3 64
	Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for September.....	6 23
	Franklin Light & Power Co., merchandise .....	9 00
	Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., 26 in. Hub No. 4 B. M. valves.....	47 13
	Bow Street Garage, cleaning carbon and grinding valves.....	3 50
	H. E. Colby, sharpening picks.....	10 45
Nov. 12,	Labor pay rolls.....	516 64
	Sundry cash items.....	22 82
	Franklin Light & Power Co., power, Bow street.....	246 83
	Franklin Light & Power Co., flash-light bulb.....	15
	Lockwood, Greene & Co., for engineering services rendered during August and September, 1925, in connection with Water Works system of the City of Franklin, N. H., including field studies of existing system and operating conditions, office studies of methods for improvements in operation and for extension of system, discussion of proposed changes with estimates of cost, report and recommendations, \$1,000.00; expenses, Mr. Taylor \$56.84; Mr. Eames \$8.74; telephone tolls, \$1.70 .....	1,067 28

Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for October .....	6 33
Chadwick & Kidder, cement.....	8 25
Rumsey Pump Co., hydrant pump..	7 03
H. E. Colby, making iron and sharpening picks.....	14 92
Gulf Refining Co., engine oil.....	27 00
Franklin Mills, 2 bags waste.....	1 97
Earl L. Lawrence, repairing clocks	5 00
C. P. Stevens, supplies.....	7 51
Shepard Bros., rent for October....	18 00
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., gate and drip rubbers tapping sleeve and valve .....	62 28
Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coal...	68 40
Dec. 17, Labor pay rolls.....	888 08
Sundry cash items .....	11 58
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights	1 71
Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for November .....	7 23
Franklin Light & Power Co., current for rotary pump .....	112 50
W. S. Stewart, dynamite and caps..	18 22
Prescott's Garage, labor, oil and chains .....	16 82
Shepard Bros., rent for November..	18 00
Judkins & Wallace, supplies.....	8 64
Chadwick & Kidder, roofing, putty and planks .....	21 12
Walworth Co., one bale of rope oakum .....	6 38
Rumsey Pump Co., valve springs, cotter pins and 3 valves complete	38 22
Lockwood, Greene & Co., for consulting engineering services rendered by Mr. P. W. Taylor, during October, 1925, in connection with proposed extension to Water Works system, \$50.00; traveling expenses, \$10.69.....	60 69

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Franklin Light & Power Co., Bow street power.....	18 72
Franklin Light & Power Co., Glenwood Avenue lights.....	4 20
City of Franklin, gasoline.....	55 00
C. P. Stevens, supplies.....	17 47
Bow Street Garage, repairs on Ford	1 77
Dec. 30, Labor pay roll .....	207 50
Sundry cash items .....	19 09
Central N. H. Telephone Co., service for December .....	5 58
Franklin Light & Power Co., power, Bow street .....	16 93
Franklin Light & Power Co., lights, Memorial street.....	3 08
Irving V. Goss, salary as clerk for six months, ending December 31, 1925 .....	100 00
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., 1 hydrant..	65 44
C. P. Stevens, iron and paint.....	1 89
Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co., coke...	21 94
Keegan & French, bolts and pliers..	3 88
Harry E. Lyon, services as superintendent for year ending December 1, 1925 .....	1,800 00
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	\$13,162 18
Less transferred to Service for labor.....	\$255 10
Less transferred to Hospital Extension for labor .....	482 10
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	737 20
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	\$12,424 98

**METER REPAIRS.**

1925.		
Feb. 11,	National Meter Co., parts.....	\$35 60
	Hersey Manufacturing Co., parts...	3 15
	Neptune Meter Co., parts.....	3 47
Mar. 15,	National Meter Co., parts.....	23 15
	Keegan & French, bolts.....	1 43
Apr. 16,	National Meter Co., parts.....	1 55
Aug. 22,	Buffalo Meter Co., flat discs rein-	
	forced .....	7 21
Sept. 21,	Keegan & French, bolts and emery	
	cloth .....	3 70
	National Meter Co., parts.....	4 13
	National Meter Co., parts.....	7 08
Nov. 12,	Union Water Meter Co., parts.....	42
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		\$90 89

**TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR MAINTENANCE.**

Expense .....	\$12,424 98
Repairs .....	90 89
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	\$12,515 87

**INCOME.**

Received for water rents .....	\$15,528 34
Deduct maintenance .....	12,515 87
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Net income for year .....	3,012 47
Balance income.....	105,738 13
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	\$108,750 60

## EXPENDITURE FOR CONSTRUCTION.

## Services.

1925.

Feb. 11,	Pierce-Perry Co., brass couplings and ells.....	\$ 5 58
Mar. 15,	Chadwick-Boston Lead Co., tin lined pipe .....	48 71
	Mueller Co., Inc., nipples and couplings .....	9 96
Apr. 16,	Brown-Wales Co., compression s. and w. cocks .....	34 56
	Boston & Maine R. R., freight on pipe .....	13 47
	Labor pay roll .....	8 75
May 18,	Walworth Mfg. Co., iron pipe and couplings .....	342 64
June 16,	Pierce-Perry Co., box covers.....	7 50
July 15,	Geo. A. Caldwell Co., s. and w. cocks	42 71
	Pierce-Perry Co., ells and couplings	15 29
Aug. 21,	Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., hydrant and valves .....	125 74
	National Meter Co., supplies.....	23 90
	Walworth Mfg. Co., brass nipples...	18 56
	Chadwick & Kidder, cement.....	9 35
Sept. 21,	Chadwick-Boston Lead Co., tin lined pipe .....	52 21
	Pierce-Perry Co., brass crosses....	57 31
Oct. 16,	Brown-Wales Co., 12 corporation cocks .....	9 21
	Pierce-Perry Co., brass ells and couplings, curb boxes.....	57 97
	Brown-Wales Co., compression stop and waste cocks .....	30 96
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		\$914 38
	Transfer from Expense account for labor .....	255 10
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		\$1,169 48

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**HOSPITAL EXTENSION.**

Nov. 12, Sundry cash items .....	\$4 61
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on pipe .....	44 74
Builders' Iron Foundry, water pipe, bends and tee .....	380 01
Concord Water Works, labor mak- ing connection .....	22 55
Dec. 17, Labor pay roll .....	177 38
H. E. Colby, sharpening drills, mak- ing iron and labor .....	11 79
Henry L. Emery, 2 loads slabs.....	8 00
Builders Iron Foundry, 1 6 in. bend.	5 35
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., 1 hydrant..	71 69
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	\$726 12
Transferred from Expense account of labor .....	482 10
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	\$1,208 22

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**METERS.**

Feb. 11, National Meter Co., meters.....	\$166 40
May 18, Neptune Meter Co., meters.....	125 15
Aug. 22, National Meter Co., meters.....	146 00
Nov. 12, National Meter Co., meters and con- nections .....	242 00
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	\$679 55

**TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR CONSTRUCTION.**

Meters .....	\$679 55
Balance of Service account .....	232 50
Extension to Hospital.....	1,208 22
Total for 1925 .....	\$2,120 27
Construction to January 1, 1925.....	171,729 05
Construction to January 1, 1926.....	\$173,849 32
Land, water and power.....	29,400 00
Total expenditure .....	\$203,249 32
Less balance of Income account.....	105,738 13
	\$97,511 19
Less Premium on Bonds.....	2,859 55
	\$94,651 64

Bonded debt .....	\$56,000 00
Balance of \$25,000 Note of March 1, 1916....	4,000 00
Cash advanced by City.....	41,460 00
	\$101,460 00
Less cash on hand .....	6,808 36
	\$94,651 64

**BALANCE SHEET.****Dr.**

To Bonded Debt .....	\$56,000 00
To Balance \$25,000 Note .....	4,000 00
To Cash advanced .....	41,460 00
To Premium Account .....	2,859 55
To Balance Income .....	105,738 13
	\$210,057 68

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By Cost of Works .....	\$203,249 32
By Cash on Hand .....	6,808 36
	\$210,057 68



## Interest on Water Debt Paid by City.

\$62,000 Bonds at five per cent. .... \$3,100 00

## PUBLIC SERVICE ESTIMATE.

Ninety-four public hydrants at \$35.....	\$3,290 00
Four watering troughs at \$40.....	160 00
Three drinking fountains.....	60 00
Water for flushing sewers.....	250 00
Water by meter, City stables and fire station	59 37
Water by meter, City Hall.....	244 25
Water by meter, City Library.....	47 57
Water by meter, City Hospital.....	125 00
Water by meter, Engine House .....	7 50
Water by meter, Armory.....	8 60
Water by meter, Odell Park.....	23 00
Water by meter, School Houses.....	1,089 63
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	\$5,331 92

## METERS SET.

Style	Size	No.
Empire,	$\frac{5}{8}$ in.	32
Trident,	$\frac{5}{8}$ in.	6
Empire,	1 in.	1
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## GATES.

Number .....	158
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## HYDRANTS.

Number, public .....	94
Number, private .....	30

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**SERVICE PIPE.**

Previously reported .....	85,683
Extension to Holy Cross Cemetery in 1924...	3,230
Extension on Glenwood Avenue in 1924 .....	870
Laid in 1925 .....	182
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	89,965

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**SERVICE RELAID IN 1925.**

Number relaid .....	29
Length .....	1,254
View Street, Mojalaki Country Club, 2 inch...	392
Summit Street, 2 inch cast iron main.....	490

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**IRON MAINS.**

Total length .....	67,359
Laid in 1925, 6 inch.....	624
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	67,983

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**LEAKS REPAIRED.**

Service pipes .....	21
Hydrant leaks .....	5
Joint leaks .....	3

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**INCREASE 1925.**

Services .....	3
Families .....	6
Taps .....	2
Garage .....	1

**CONSUMPTION.**

Total population of city, estimated.....	7,000
Total population on lines of pipes, estimated..	6,500
Number of persons using water, estimated...	5,400
Number of families using water.....	1,081
Number of taps or connections of service pipe with mains .....	674
Hotels .....	4
Mills and shops .....	17
Churches .....	7
Street Sprinkler posts .....	9
Public watering troughs and fountains.....	6
Schoolhouses .....	4
Railroad stations .....	3
Stores and offices .....	97
Printing offices .....	1
City hall .....	1
Gas company .....	1
Laundries .....	2
Stables .....	11
Automatic sprinkler service .....	17
Library .....	1
Hospital .....	1
Armory .....	1
Standard Oil Co. ....	1
Garages .....	5
Paint Shop .....	1
Post office. ....	1
Restaurants .....	2

## RECORD OF PUMPING SERVICE.

Average amount in gallons pumped daily by months and total amount pumped.

	Pemigewasset	Coldbrook	Both	Total
Jan.	183,613	78,742	262,355	8,133,000
Feb.	202,732	74,232	276,964	7,755,000
Mar.	163,355	104,222	267,577	8,295,000
Apr.	120,333	149,833	270,166	8,105,000
May	74,329	183,090	257,419	7,980,000
June	111,200	131,400	242,600	7,278,000
July	118,613	141,387	260,000	8,060,000
August	127,613	121,097	248,710	7,710,000
Sept.	125,867	134,133	260,000	7,800,000
Oct.	133,935	133,935	267,870	8,304,000
Nov.	135,100	135,900	271,000	8,130,000
Dec.	127,483	132,838	260,321	8,070,000

Total for year	95,620,000
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Daily average for year,	262,000
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Total from Pemigewasset station,	48,248,700
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Total from Coldbrook Springs,	47,371,300
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Daily average, Pemigewasset station,	135,348
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Daily average, Coldbrook Springs,	126,734
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## ANNUAL RECORD.

	Daily Average Total	Amount Pumped		Total
		Goldbrook	Pemigewasset	
1891-2	181,732			83,233,304
1893	267,397			97,599,977
1894	197,836			72,210,397
1895	217,552			79,406,735
1896	225,793			82,640,212
1897	215,382			78,614,500
1898	167,344			61,080,500
1899	172,690			63,032,050
1900	197,449			72,069,000
1901	227,786			83,142,000
1902	172,548			62,979,980
1903	217,440			79,365,500
1904	228,941			84,232,500
1905	222,247			81,120,000
1906	255,779			93,911,600
1907	209,267	42,828,800	33,655,700	76,382,500
1908	204,735	40,147,300	34,785,700	74,933,000
1909	201,707	39,309,090	44,303,660	73,612,750
1910	206,468	23,322,044	52,538,956	75,861,000
1911	200,000	14,451,380	58,548,620	73,000,000
1912	212,862	44,682,600	34,231,900	78,914,500
1913	214,720	48,932,700	29,442,300	78,375,000
1914	209,558	40,380,800	36,108,200	76,489,000
1915	191,554	32,344,900	37,672,400	70,017,300
1916	187,759	32,772,300	35,947,700	68,720,000
1917	197,822	29,633,500	42,563,500	72,227,000
1918	222,415	26,250,800	54,930,700	81,181,500
1919	255,594	41,679,010	51,613,040	93,292,050
1920	235,520	54,423,277	31,541,438	85,964,715
1921	212,528	44,931,400	32,641,500	77,572,900
1922	240,825	42,776,105	45,125,200	87,901,305
1923	239,093	38,410,100	48,858,900	87,269,000
1924,	245,096	51,038,000	38,422,000	89,460,000
1925,	262,000	47,371,300	48,248,700	95,620,000

### Receipts and Expenditures of Same Since 1891.

	Water Rent	Maintenance	Extensions	Debt and Int.
1891-2	\$4,046 52	\$1,899 00	\$1,235 10	
1893	3,891 00	2,041 28	2,514 76	
1894	4,039 67	1,237 93	2,154 38	
1895	5,291 99	2,409 18	2,438 25	\$1,200 00
1896	5,543 32	1,938 64	1,302 27	2,160 00
1897	5,615 00	1,769 07	1,751 07	2,080 00
1898	6,033 50	1,656 01	744 50	3,317 25
1899	6,461 78	2,082 49	1,688 47	3,295 22
1900	6,580 25	1,811 23	1,921 99	2,741 80
1901	6,667 49	1,949 94	1,388 55	3,268 45
1902	6,721 46	1,924 05	2,617 41	2,145 90
1903	7,018 05	2,164 17	966 98	2,009 80
1904	7,161 95	7,240 31	892 37	
1905	7,163 05	2,361 47	5,915 74	
1906	7,476 05	3,544 34	3,931 71	
1907	7,965 24	4,038 86	3,926 38	
1908	7,972 03	4,655 18	1,890 01	1,416 89
1909	8,357 93	4,070 20	4,133 80	
1910	8,541 35	4,352 64	2,486 61	1,382 50
1911	9,066 55	7,754 81	1,423 81	337 50
1912	8,980 70	5,371 48	1,121 78	2,337 50
1913	8,920 75	5,463 51	1,028 37	2,254 05
1914	9,604 41	5,518 29	2,661 95	1,666 25
1915	9,960 36	7,303 60	1,143 55	1,495 00
1916	10,098 37	6,231 59	1,057 16	2,550 00
1917	10,605 09	5,733 67	230 76	4,000 00
1918	11,001 38	7,189 54	175 03	4,000 00
1919	10,550 70	10,930 31		
1920	11,333 02	9,118 96	1,125 05	
1921	14,709 68	10,367 70	5,380 15	
1922	14,930 66	10,839 45	1,830 46	
1923	15,729 32	10,937 07	1,710 74	
1924	15,206 28	11,952 50	3,023 00	
1925	15,528 34	12,515 87	2,120 27	

Totals,      \$298,773 24    \$180,374 34    \$67,932 43    \$43,658 11

Maintenance ..... \$180,374 34

Extensions ..... 67,932 43

Cash on hand ..... 6,808 36

\$298,773 24

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### RATES.

All customers are supplied through meters. The minimum charge is seven dollars and fifty cents per year, which entitles the consumer to 2,000 cubic feet during the year. Rentals are collected quarterly. For the first 1,000 feet or less in each quarter the charge is  $37\frac{1}{2}$  cents per 100 feet; for the excess over 1,000 feet used each quarter 25 cents per 100 feet is charged. Upon all quarterly bills exceeding \$12.50 a discount of 25 per cent of the excess over \$12.50 is made.

No charge is made for private hydrants or for automatic sprinkler service.

HARRY F. DAVIS,  
EDMUND J. GARNEAU,  
DAVID T. ATWOOD,  
JASON KIDDER,  
IRVING V. GOSS,  
DOCITE J. ROUSSEAU,

Commissioners.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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### REPORT OF TREASURER.

Balance on hand at last report .....	\$373 16
Appropriation .....	71,812 00
Received from tuition .....	3,372 72
Received from dog tax .....	784 13
Received from sale of books and supplies .....	146 40
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	\$76,488 41

Paid checks No. 3468 to 3688 inclusive and A3191 to A3397 inclusive .....	\$76,445 92
Balance on hand at this report .....	42 49
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	\$76,488 41

WILLIAM A. DUSSAULT,

Treasurer.



## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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### REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the Board of Education:

I herewith submit my fourth annual report, which is the twenty-fifth in the series of similar reports.

The past year, the reorganized curricula of the high school, referred to in 1924 report together with the necessary adjustments for their proper administration, have been effected and tested. Together with the junior high school organization, Franklin now has a school system from the seventh to twelfth grade organized in accordance with the best accepted educational theories of the time.

There seem to be a few in every community who do not recognize the fact that education is moving ahead and that accepted educational theories and practices of today, arrived at after years of experiment and experience by the leading educators of the country, have changed considerably from the older conception of education as practiced even 25 years ago. That book learning only, constitutes education, is an idea of the past, whose ghost is still stalking about, refusing to be downed and bringing more or less of fear to troubled souls that present day education consists of frills and fancies and more play than work.

Possibly a better understanding will be had of the statements, comments and discussions found in the various reports of the school if I state the real objectives of present day education quite generally agreed upon by educational experts.

The educational aims and objectives of past years and past periods have been sufficient for those years and those periods. But no one would say that the aims and objectives of the old colonial time "Latin Grammar Schools" viz: to educate in the classics only—would be in the least

applicable to present day life or its needs: the industrial, social and civic relations of the present call for a different kind of education than that—i. e., an education with different aims and objectives.

Civilization has advanced so rapidly that the problems of industry, of society in general, of the home, of government itself—local and national—economic problems—personal, local and national—demand a reevaluation of standards in the light of modern life and a re-statement of aims and objectives in harmony with the standards evaluated.

A modern curriculum should be founded, says one, upon the real needs of modern life. So there is need of new objectives upon which to found that modern curriculum, especially as the standard of curriculum administration, until very recently, has largely been based upon the social, industrial and economic need of half a century ago.

The National Education Association felt this need and appointed a Commission on the Reorganization of Secondary Education which, in turn appointed a sub-committee, called a reviewing committee, whose business was to assist 16 committees of the commission by constructive criticism.

This reviewing committee presents and regards the following as the main objectives of education—the cardinal principles.

1. Health.
2. Command of Fundamental Processes.
3. Worthy home-membership.
4. Vocations.
5. Citizenship.
6. Worthy use of leisure.
7. Ethical Character.

**HEALTH:** Good health is essential to the vitality of the race: it is essential if we are to discharge the duties of life or receive enjoyment in our living. I presume these facts have been known for years. But to arouse the public to recognize them as of sufficient importance to make health teaching in the schools one of its aims—took the World War.

Not only the public, but educators themselves were amazed at the poor physical showing of the product of their schools:

It is, it should be an objective of our schools that every child that comes to it should receive health instruction and acquire health habits. Not mere book instruction but instruction through health activities of the school—its plays and games and other physical activities, its corrective exercises, its planning of work and play, its noon lunches, its serving milk or oranges at recess, the keeping of the school rooms and buildings hygienic and sanitary. Franklin schools are well organized to obtain this objective.

The second objective is: "Command of the Fundamentals." Children in New Hampshire schools are taught addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division for eight or nine years and these have been occasionally made use of in the next three. These processes became almost unused activities—at least to such an extent that the public criticised high school graduates as not knowing how to add, subtract, multiply, divide, or use fractions. This objective calls for the modern school to keep alive these activities throughout its grades.

Franklin schools are now doing this through the high school.

The third objective calls for developing a sense of what constitutes a real home—"Worthy Home Membership."

The changes in industrial life and conditions have undoubtedly diminished the influence of the home as an educating factor. When the work was all at home, father and mother both there, the innumerable duties in and around the house gave plenty of opportunity for the children to form habits of helpfulness and habits of assuming responsibility. The participation in home duties taught responsibility, reliability, respect for parental authority and some knowledge of the economic problems of the home. Many a child today fails to get the home idea because of no home ideal. Father and mother are not there—both are in the factory. There is no home. It is a mere place to stay when there is no where else to go.

Franklin schools are making use of the social sciences and English readings to teach the importance of a worthy home membership; it is using also the school activities that teach respect for the other fellow, and unselfish and concerted action: with these, it is using its domestic arts work to inculcate in the heart and mind of the pupil what a

home is, what it is for and a realizing sense of the place of the home in the community, state, and national existence. This objective is recognized in our organization.

The fourth objective is that of aiding in selecting a proper vocation.

A child has some understanding of himself; that is, his likes and dislikes, his fitness for doing certain things and possibly has some idea of his capacity for accomplishing things. But the observations of school room teachers from year to year, the child's records through the twelve years of school life are of great value to the teacher in discovering true characteristics and capabilities that make the teacher an excellent adviser and assistant to the pupil in selecting a course of study in school, or determining a vocation.

Franklin schools are organized to render this kind of assistance.

The fifth objective is to produce good citizens. This means that the schools must teach something beside saluting the flag and crying hurrah on public occasions.

The school must teach collective responsibility, cooperation in solving projects, fairness and justice, ability to recognize the other fellow's point of view, and that real ability is what counts in a democracy.

In teaching these things, not only the organization of the school government itself should be a help, but also by means of athletics and plays and games the principles of good citizenship are developed.

In the Franklin schools we are using both the student participation in government plan and our athletics in inculcating the principles of good judgment, justice, and right action—qualities of good citizenship. Good citizenship is being emphasized, too, in classes in Civics, History and Economics. The whole organization and government of the school is intended to be in harmony with the citizenship principles taught. Whatever may be taught along the line of good citizenship in the schools, if it is to be really effective, must be supplemented by example of good citizenship in the community. The school cannot work alone for this particular objective. We are trying to teach cooperation, with an appreciation of the rights of others. We are teaching subordinating personal interests to the good of a group;

accepting responsibility; recognition of authority with cheerful obedience: honesty and right moral action: standards of fair play and good sportsmanship and the common courtesies of life. All these teachings tend to development of good citizenship ideals.

The sixth objective is to educate the coming generations to make worthy use of leisure time.

It has been said that the average individual has from a fifth to a fourth of his time for leisure. Conditions in the industrial world would indicate that this time would increase in the near future. The leisure time problem is a big one. The schools are attempting to do their part in solving it. By interesting pupils in literature, art, music, science, constructive processes and physical recreation, the schools hope to create enduring interests that appeal to the higher better self and develop tastes and standards for real enjoyment and the use of leisure.

The seventh objective, Ethical Character, is the paramount objective. Upon how well the other objectives are taught, depends the success of developing this one. If they be well taught, the initiative and will to raise moral and civic standards will be developed and ethical character be the resultant.

The teacher is the great example, the great influence in accomplishing results for this particular objective. Hence, with this idea in mind, great care should be exercised in the selection of those who are daily to stand before boys and girls as teachers.

Such are the objectives set before us to strive for, in our educational organization. In reading the reports of the school work and its activities, if these seven educational objectives are kept in mind there will be a better understanding of reasons for the type of school work being done.

The curricula are formulated with these objectives in view. Methods of teaching are directed toward them. The extra-curricula activities, so-called, physical education, play ground work, athletics, art clubs, radio clubs, debating clubs, music, etc., are not merely for play or pastime, but to articulate with other work of the school in the developing process of good health, good citizenship, good character and habitual good use of leisure.

It takes all of these activities, as well as regular class work from books, to complete the plan of organization for attaining the objectives mentioned—the objectives of modern education.

### Curricula.

Franklin is now offering five courses of study in the high school: College Preparatory, Science, Commercial, Mechanic Arts and Domestic Arts. After two years of try-out courses in the junior high, and these five courses to select from in high school, it would seem that boys and girls might be adjusted to adaptable courses from which they would receive the best practical help and development. While this is generally proving to be the case, there are still a few misfits who will, of course, need readjustment. There is certainly no need of a pupil taking courses that he does not want. The courses are numerous enough, the electives not many but nevertheless sufficient to satisfy the inclinations and special aptitudes of all classes of pupils.

The Mechanic Arts course is attracting an increasingly large class each year and considerable new equipment will be needed for this department. Two boys who graduated from this department last June are at Keene Normal preparing to become teachers of this subject.

The Domestic Arts course will be revised another year and made even more practical than at present. This department in addition to regular work has served two dinners to the retail merchants division of the Chamber of Commerce, plates being laid for forty at each dinner.

The College Preparatory course and Science course are still preparing boys and girls for college. Most of those sent out from this school have made good records. But even these testify that habits of application to study were not learned as they should have been, and they found themselves handicapped when the longer lesson assignments of the college had to be contended with.

There is undoubted need of strengthening our scholarship standards: of teaching boys and girls how to study: of insisting that every pupil who is to represent this school in any higher institution of learning should attain higher scholarship standards than at present. There is need, too,

that all pupils in order to graduate should understand, that it is not sufficient to "just get by."

Already we have begun to make the scholarship standard requirement a little more strict. We hope for good results. The home must cooperate if we get them.

The Commercial Course is probably too large, but we have reason to be proud of the excellent product we are getting from it. A good practical training is being given here.

Physical training is required in all our courses, and it is decidedly important that it should be. It is begun in the first grade and given in every grade in the city.

### Finances.

With the endeavor to give Franklin boys and girls a modern system of education, with advantages and opportunities similar to those enjoyed by boys and girls of other communities as large or even larger than Franklin, school costs have increased. The largest percent of increase has been in teachers' salaries; the next largest in maintenance of plant including repairs and permanent construction. The repairs are ever with us, and the permanent construction has been large because of the necessary remodelling and finishing of rooms in the "barn" at junior high school to provide for the various departments and activities of this growing school. The past year, new machinery and tool equipment has been added in the Mechanic Arts rooms and more will be needed this year to accommodate the large numbers demanding entrance to this practical department of the school. More sewing machines are needed for the Domestic Arts room and more typewriters for the Commercial room.

An unusual demand, it seems to me, should be made this year for equipment. There is need of new desks and chairs in all but seven school rooms of the city. Supplementary material for work in the grades, as well as reference books for high school work and apparatus for Physics and Chemistry are all calling for expenditures. It would appear that general repair costs would be less this year than for several years. Experience has shown, however, that repairs, on as large a school plant as Franklin now has, will annually average about the same amount.

This last year the district has been called upon to pay \$1440 not provided for in the annual budget because not expected and could not be foreseen. For instance, the legislature passed a law requiring fire bolts on all school buildings as large as ours: the pipe carrying the river water to the junior high school froze during the winter and burst in four places; the roof of the high school developed bad leaks; the insurance underwriters required the electric wiring of the "barn" to be modernized and the furnace room to be better protected.

The amount necessary for paying the deficit caused by these unexpected expenses will necessarily have to be asked for this coming year.

Franklin is paying liberally for its schools, but there are only 23 districts in the state, out of a total of 253, paying less for current expenditures of education per thousand dollars of equalized valuation.

The current cost runs from \$.71 in Sharon to \$24.83 in Bartlett special district.

The cost in Franklin is \$5.33.

### **Repairs and Permanent Construction.**

Beside the ordinary minor repairs this year, the Hancock building was painted and varnished throughout; desks and chairs were placed in the first grade in place of the kindergarten chairs and tables heretofore used there; improvements were also made in the basement.

The high school roof has again been "patched." How long before it will need more attention is uncertain. At the present time, and it is the first time in four years, it seems to be water proof.

The room formerly used as a domestic arts room has been fitted for a permanent Physics room and reasonably well equipped, though far from adequately. The school now has for the first time, science rooms sufficiently large to accommodate its pupils.

The Nesmith School has had a new sewer and new front and rear steps built. The toilets in the building need modern fixtures.

At the Junior High School, the sewing room has been constructed—the third of the suite of rooms for use of the Domestic Science classes. We now have three of the



pleasantest rooms in the state for use of this very practical course. The stage in the gymnasium has been raised affording better accommodations for school plays, etc.

All these buildings have been equipped with safety fire bolts.

The furnace room has been plastered for better fire protection, and a copper blower installed. This blower is giving splendid satisfaction and saved considerable of the expense of building a new chimney as was first proposed.

The much needed things to be done in 1926 are these: The "Morrison School" and "Golden Rule Farm School" both need painting inside and out. The latter must have something done this year to provide suitable toilet accommodations.

Provision should be made for serving hot lunches to the children who stay for dinner at the Junior high and high schools, and better provisions for doing this at the Nesmith School. I consider this matter of serving something hot with the regular lunch of the pupils very essential.

The stairs in the high school building need new treads and the boys' urinal should be entirely rebuilt. Some provision should be made for the headmaster to have a private office.

### High School.

See report of Headmaster Roy E. Keller.

### Junior High School.

See report of Bessie C. Rowell, Principal.

### Summer School.

The enrollment for Summer School for 1925 was 105. Thus, for two years in succession there have been over one hundred attending the summer session.

The original purpose of the Summer School was to assist those failing to gain promotion during any current year.

During the last three years we have received also those failing in one or two subjects only; hence the increase in numbers. There is a growing tendency for many to come to keep subject matter fresher in mind for September work.

So long as this latter class do not necessitate employment of an extra teacher, I can see no real objection to their coming if teachers understand that their first duty is to the delinquents.

### Evening School.

The total enrollment for evening school this year is 68 divided as follows:

Thirteen in the beginners class; 8 in the second year class; 11 in the advanced class; four in the class preparing for citizenship; seven in the Mechanic Arts class, and 25 in the Commercial class.

Two of the four pupils, who have been studying for the past three years to prepare for their final examination to obtain citizenship papers, were successful last November and are now proud to be called United States citizens. These two were James Davidson and Peter Millor. A third, George Christo, is prepared to take his final examination at the March session of the Federal Court.

Comparatively few of these enrolled are illiterates and obliged under the law to attend. It is encouraging to know that so many others desire to take advantage of the Evening School for improving themselves in some particular line whether it be English, typewriting or wood working and machine practice.

At the present time the actual number attending regularly is only 40. This is due in large part to many having left the city to seek employment elsewhere.

### Education Week.

I have yet to read of a place in the state that observed "Education Week" to the extent it was in the Franklin schools.

The week opened with a cooperative meeting by the Parent-Teacher Association Monday evening.

Tuesday afternoon the Hancock School with grades from Kindergarten to third gave an entertainment to crowded rooms.

That evening in the gymnasium, the Falls grades, four to six, and at Christian Church vestry, the Nesmith grades, Kindergarten to six, gave entertainments.

Wednesday evening, the junior high school gave a program consisting of papers written by the pupils, and an address.

Thursday evening the high school furnished an entertaining and instructive program, and Friday evening, from seven o'clock until nine, all the schools of the city, above third grade, were having regular school sessions and were visited by two hundred seventy-six people.

The exercises of the week, not including daily visitors, attracted over seven hundred people. Beside the above mentioned features, the junior and senior high schools had speakers appear daily either at assembly or other times.

Seven leading citizens addressed these schools.

The climax of the week was a parade of all the school children of the city, in which over eleven hundred children participated.

### Teachers.

A most unusual experience was mine this last summer, from the fact that every desirable teacher in the city signed the usual contract to return to Franklin this year, and I had no new teachers to get until late in August when I received Miss Sliney's resignation. In my whole supervisory union I had but two to get. This would seem to indicate that teachers were content with their positions and the conditions under which they were working. The fact of so few changes in the teaching force has been of great advantage to progressive work. From the beginning of the year each teacher knew her job and was able to begin it effectively the first day.

Change of teachers, even for good cause, has the disadvantage of slowing up the start of pupils at the beginning of the year, while the new teacher is taking exploring expeditions attempting to find herself, her children and her surroundings.

Since school opened in September, I have had to secure two new teachers: one for an extra fourth grade, and one to take the place of Miss Glode at junior high, who was transferred to the high school to replace Miss Berwick, detained at her home by illness.

The teaching force, as a whole, I believe will compare favorably with that of any other place in the state.

### Special Teachers.

Mrs. Welch continues to secure improvement in writing. I doubt if many places in the state could exhibit a better display of good legible handwriting than was shown at our school exhibition last May. The success of the handwriting teaching is due to an interested and conscientious teacher and the splendid cooperation of the grade teachers.

Mrs. Watts reports more satisfactory results in music than last year from her teaching, especially at the high school: that the progress in learning to read by note in the lower grades has been good: that, as is her policy, she presents to the pupils the best kind of music obtainable: that several operettas have been produced by children below the sixth grade; that a boys' and girls' glee club has been formed at the high school and that two classes have chorus singing. She recommends that another year the entire high school group meet occasionally for chorus singing.

Victrolas are now available in every school building by the aid of which music appreciation is being taught. Music is one of the important things in our school activities and should have its regular place on our programs and its allotted time. The chorus singing, the operettas, the orchestra and proposed band, are all splendid agencies in the development of the finer instincts and appreciation of the good.

"Music is taught for the sake of the joy and satisfaction it brings into the lives of the many; not merely as a means of enabling the few to receive professional training."

Mr. Newton Cox was secured as Physical Director and Athletic Instructor and began his duties in September. Following, as he did, a most popular instructor, he is to be congratulated upon the degree of success already attained in his department. His school room work is good. He developed a good football team and is now developing one of the best basketball teams Franklin High has ever had. He is also active in community athletics as the various basketball leagues of the city prove. Mr. Cox gives every evidence of making good.

### **Play Grounds.**

Our play grounds were used but little during the summer because we had no physical instructor. This next summer the play ground activities should receive their merited attention and be properly organized for doing most effective work.

Public play is now recognized and accepted as a real part of municipal government. The play ground association of America says that there are 711 cities now provided with organized play ground service, whereas, twenty-five years ago less than fifteen cities made such provision; that, in the past eighteen years the increase in expenditures for recreation lies between \$1,000,000 and \$20,000,000.

These facts give us some idea of the emphasis being placed on play ground work. Franklin is very fortunate in having such abundant space conveniently located for play ground use as it has at the Nesmith and Junior High School grounds. Organized play in the schools and during the summer months, under expert supervision is assuming an increasingly important place in American education as a great agency in developing self control, initiative, fairness, respect for law, and leadership among young people.

We cannot afford to neglect this branch of educational work which means so much to the civic life of the individual and the community. I trust a liberal appropriation will be made for play ground work.

### **Prize Speaking.**

The first prize speaking contest in the schools for many years was held Monday evening of Commencement week. This created much interest among the pupils and a large audience was present to enjoy it. The prize, \$15.00, was contributed by Wm. W. Edwards, Arthur L. Smythe and Charles E. Douphinett.

James Quimby won the first prize, Ruth Sawyer the second, and Marjorie Castonguay the third. Your superintendent did all the training, necessarily evenings. He enjoyed working with the boys and girls and they were very faithful in attendance upon rehearsals notwithstanding the inconvenient time.

He felt well repaid for his labors by the excellent manner in which the contestants acquitted themselves. I believe this kind of school work is of inestimable value, not only in giving better interpretation of literature but in developing self confidence. I recommend that it be an annual event, and that a special instructor be secured for the necessary training period of five or six weeks, as it is impossible for the superintendent, or any regular teacher, to give the requisite time to it. Arrangements are already made for a similar event this year, the Chamber of Commerce having contributed \$30.00 for this purpose. The American Legion has also contributed \$25.00 to be used in prizes for speaking or writing as seems best.

### Flower Gardens.

The flower gardens at Junior High school have been cared for this year by Mrs. Atwood and Miss Proctor. They have done most efficient work; given of their time and money and secured good results. Much of their labor has been for permanent improvements and their efforts are much appreciated by all concerned.

If these gardens are to be maintained, I see no reason why the school district should not do it just as they maintain the lawns etc. I recommend a special appropriation for this purpose.

### Conclusion.

I have endeavored to give an idea of what the objectives of present day education are, and how the schools of Franklin are organized to attain these objectives.

I have tried to inform you in regard to the finances of the school and some of its needs: to tell you of some of the things done this past year. The things done seem so small, when compared with what we see to be done before ideal conditions are approached, that we sometimes feel discouraged because of seemingly slow progress. But we are using the tax payers' money, and appropriations must be kept within certain reasonable limits, which means accomplishing about so much and no more each year. Though progress seems slow, we feel that the schools of Franklin are progressing.

The Rev. Dr. John E. Finen, who for six years has served on the school board, declined reelection this year. Father Finen was a valuable member of the Board and his good judgment was always gladly sought.

I thank the School Board for their splendid support; the teachers for their efficient labors and the citizens for their cooperation in many ways.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED S. LIBBEY,

Superintendent of Schools.

Franklin, N. H., January 30, 1926.

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## REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER OF THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my third annual report covering the work of the High School. The report is so constructed as to set forth the outstanding conditions and needs of the school. We have not departed widely from the policy of the school as set forth in previous reports. Those of us who are directly responsible for the work of this department trust that progress is discernible. The improvement of any school department is accomplished only by the conscientious work of all the teachers in a united effort along the lines of the best accepted educational practices and methods. The High School, in a sense, is the capstone of the school system of Franklin. Those who receive the diploma of the school are the product of the entire school system and not alone of the high school. It is therefore evident that every department shares in the respective honors that our graduates reflect upon our school and upon our community.

### General Statement.

In December, the enrollment of the classes was as follows: Seniors—39; Juniors—45; Sophomores—49.

The total number of pupils represents no substantial increase over that of previous years. I again call attention to the fact that this enrollment is not high enough for a community of more than six thousand people. May I again emphasize the universally accepted fact that an elementary school education is not sufficient to develop productive citizenship of the highest quality.

It is my personal opinion that with the exception of the Home Economics Curriculum there is no direct necessity for the revision of the curricula that are now presented by this school. It is, however, evident that our school is not functioning properly, because of the fact that there is still faulty selection of curricula and of individual courses. This is especially true in regard to the Commercial Course. More girls are enrolled in this course than can be employed in this line of work in the offices of Franklin. If these pupils are to find employment, they will have to go out of the community to do so. Pupils who may enter higher institutions of learning should have so selected their high school courses of study that they may meet the minimum requirements in courses set by these institutions. The school cannot be held responsible when the pupils fail to avail themselves of the opportunities that are now offered in the school. Boys and girls are seriously handicapped by changing courses in the latter years of their secondary schooling. The redirection of training that is involved in such changes, although necessary, is to be deplored. It is physically impossible for a pupil to accomplish in one year or even in two years the work designed to cover a period of four years.

It is notable that the boys and girls who have received a certificate from this school have invariably succeeded in advanced work. In fact, two out of the four seniors who have received an average above ninety percent at the University of New Hampshire are graduates of this school. This school can and does prepare pupils to do successful work in college. Nevertheless, the average scholastic standing of this school is altogether too low. Whether the



weakness is in the school system or may be ascribed to other factors, it must be admitted that there are in Franklin High School pupils capable of doing high B or A work who are either barely passing the minimum requirements in some courses with a C grade, or who are even failing in others. An almost universal criticism offered by those who have gone on to other institutions of learning is that habits of study had not been properly fixed during high school days. I, therefore, should recommend that the studies of the senior high school be so supervised as to require the pupil to engage in systematic and concerted effort in this direction. Many more boys and girls are applying for admission to our colleges than can be accommodated. Furthermore, of those admitted, only the best fitted are permitted to remain to complete their college work. Owing to this rather excessive elimination, it is obviously necessary for all who hope for success in the pursuit of higher learning to apply themselves not only in college but in high school as well.

#### Command of the Fundamental Processes.

The Franklin Town Report for the year 1894 contains the following paragraph: "Much can be done each year to improve our course of study, not by introduction of all the fashionable whims of the day, but by compelling a more practical presentation of fundamental subjects. We need good tools for accomplishing any worthy ends in education. Without these, all attempts at future culture are a shallow pretense. Meanwhile no fears of destroying the child's individuality need be entertained. Real genius is not easily stifled."

During the past year the State Board of Education of New Hampshire has called upon the school boards, superintendents, and high school teachers to accept the responsibility of aiding pupils to keep active the skills acquired in the elementary school. The subjects to be covered are arithmetic, spelling, handwriting, grammar, silent reading, and geography. One of the seven "Cardinal Principles" of secondary education is the command of the fundamental processes. It is the opinion of many educators that time and effort utilized in keeping alive these processes will be well spent.

In three of these subjects—arithmetic, spelling and grammar—the Board of Education has undertaken a state-wide survey. The pupils of this school have taken the standard tests that have come to us from the state office. It is gratifying that all our classes in all tests, except one, have successfully passed the class averages as established by the state. This would tend to indicate that the work of this school along the line of keeping alive the fundamental processes is above the average of the schools of this state.

Place geography to date has not received individual treatment. Silent reading and handwriting like the three previously named subjects have received attention through special teaching and drill exercises. The extent to which this work is to be carried is indicated by the discovered needs of our boys and girls. Diagnostic tests are, first, given to determine individual shortcomings. Subsequently follow-up tests are given to measure skill attained through drill. When adequate proficiency in any one subject is evident, the pupil is no longer required to take the work in that subject.

### **Mechanic Arts.**

The past decade has witnessed the recognition and development of the Mechanic Arts as a vital part of the secondary school course. While Franklin has not been among the leaders in this work, in the past, yet marked progress has been made during the last two years. At present, instruction and practice are being given in carpentry and machine work.

In the former department the boys of the sophomore class are engaged in cabinet and pattern working. In the latter, the boys of the upper classes are being trained in both general and specific phases of machine shop practice, notably lathe and shaper work. In both departments projects of practical value are being carried out by these boys who are thus being grounded in the fundamentals of skilled workmanship.

### **Home Economics.**

The present courses offered in Home Economics are good in themselves but are totally inadequate when judged upon the basis of what they fail to include. The courses as they

now stand are: Sophomore year, Nursing and Physiology; Junior year, Household Organization; Senior year, Household Management.

Upon analysis, it is found that these courses deal more with the mechanical elements of home making than with the spirit of home life.

With due consideration of the disarrangement that will be caused, I recommend the adoption of the newer courses as outlined by the committee on the revision of the courses of study in home economics for New Hampshire.

The objective of the course as set down is: "to give the girl opportunity to acquire such knowledge, appreciations, abilities, and skills that she will be a more worthy home member—able to assume responsibilities for the family welfare and to contribute towards the richness of family life."

The large units of instruction for the four year course are:

The Home, Its Care and Management.

Foods and Nutrition.

Textiles and Clothing.

The Family and Its Members.

The course in "textiles and clothing" should be considered a success in so far as it results in the girl acquiring the ability to select and to keep in good condition the clothing for herself and her family so that they will present a pleasing appearance with a minimum expenditure of time and money.

The course in "foods and nutrition" should result in improvement in the health habits of the girls and of the family. It should lead to increased skill in handling foods and to a wiser economy in the adjustment of the food budget.

The success of the course in "the home, its care and management," should be measured by the increased interest which the girl takes in housekeeping and by the improved condition of that part of the house for which she is responsible.

As a result of the course in "the family and its members," the girl should have an increased respect for the vocation of home making and for the part that the home plays in the development of the individual and of the community

and should fulfill her responsibilities as a home member more faithfully.

It is my firm conviction that courses so organized and so presented as to bring out these desirable interests and traits will prove of unusual benefit to the individual and to the home of which she is a member.

### **Commercial.**

#### **Bookkeeping**

The teaching of bookkeeping has changed radically within the last few years, and Franklin in this respect has kept pace with other schools. Formerly, the students were required to complete a certain number of long, involved sets, usually one a term. Each student had a textbook with illustrations to accompany each rule. If a difficult transaction occurred concerning which the student asked a question, he was referred to the page on which he would find the rule. The teacher's responsibility was thought to have ceased at this point. It seemed unnecessary to explain the principle so that the next time the pupil encountered a similar transaction he would understand how to make the entry. Consequently, when a pupil finished a bookkeeping course, he was unable to reason things out for himself. Hence when he began bookkeeping in an office, he was practically useless because he had no textbook and no rules to follow.

Franklin High School uses the new method of teaching bookkeeping. After the new principles have been presented, there is usually class discussion of difficult entries and then a short exercise, applying the new principles. No long sets are required. As soon as a pupil finishes one exercise, he is assigned another of similar character, thus giving the brighter, quicker pupils extra practice while the teacher devotes her time to the slower pupils who need more attention.

Through the courtesy of the National Bank and some of the business men of Franklin, classes have visited some business concerns to see how the commercial work is actually done. It is hoped that this year even more investigation may be carried on.

## Office Practice

The object of the office training class for seniors is to fit them to take their places in offices at the end of the high school course if they so desire. It is not possible for a school the size of ours to provide many office appliances except typewriters and a mimeograph. There are a number of other appliances, such as adding machines, in the offices in town. It would very much enhance the value of the course as given in the high school if the senior commercial students were given an opportunity to visit a larger number of offices and actually to see these machines in operation instead of simply reading about them.

Last year a number of senior girls worked in local offices Saturdays and outside of school hours. They gained much valuable experience, and were given an insight into office routine and procedure. This resulted in renewed effort in classroom work.

## General Commercial Work

Most high school subjects have been standardized for a number of years, but it is only recently that commercial work has been put on such a basis. We now have standard tests and grading scales for shorthand, typewriting, and bookkeeping, making it much easier for the teacher to ascertain the grade of each individual and the accomplishments of her class as compared with the average class the country over.

## Science.

### Chemistry

Chemistry, a few years ago, a science known by comparatively few, has developed into a science of widespread interest. Dealing with the fundamental structure and properties of matter and with the laws governing their inter-relations, chemistry is essential to industrial development.

A knowledge of chemistry is useful to men and women in any walk of life. In its relation to secondary education it has consequently outgrown its initial function, which was merely that of a college preparatory subject. Those who are not going to college have quite as much need of chemistry as those who are preparing for work in a higher in-

stitution. With this in view we are broadening our course in chemistry so as to meet the needs of all of our students.

### Physics.

The room at one time in use for the domestic arts department has been partially fitted up for the use as a physics laboratory. New tables and benches have been provided so that a group of sixteen pupils can work at one time. By using the two group system we can accommodate all the students who are likely to elect this course for some time to come.

We lack sufficient room for the storage of apparatus and supplies. There is special need for apparatus cases in the physics laboratory.

We should have an electric plug and socket in each laboratory so that the current may be available for use in experiments. The alternating current can be rectified and cut down to the proper voltage by the use of an electrolytic rectifier which can be made by the students in physics.

Much of the apparatus for individual work in physics, while expensive to buy, can be constructed by the students themselves. To accomplish this end we should have a work bench supplied with ordinary tools and supplies. This equipment would be used in making repairs on apparatus already on hand, but which is not in a usable condition.

In biology, our weakest course as regards equipment, our needs, which are many, are: A good microscope; a lantern for the projection of slides and pictures so that we may make use of the wealth of material that is available; charts and anatomical models; reference books; a book case in each laboratory so that books may be readily accessible.

### French.

At the present time first and second year French are offered. Third year French has been temporarily dropped from our program. The reason for this is that too few pupils elected advanced French to justify the giving of the course during the current year. Much attention and emphasis are put upon expression in French. It is the belief of the department that this will tend to develop not only interest in the course, but language sense as well. Original compositions such as book reviews, are given a definite part

in the class work. Sentence structure and paragraphing are studied with the idea of definite development in these elements of composition.

Current events in French are culled from the daily French newspaper that is received regularly at the school. In this way, the course is utilized in making a direct contribution to the life of our boys and girls. A command of this language may, and frequently does, become a commercial asset. The successful study of a foreign language gives him a new view-point towards his mother tongue.

One of the purposes of foreign language study is to create an interest in the country, its people, literature, history, and civilization. This produces a broadening and cultural influence in the life of the pupil.

### **Mathematics.**

Under this department has been conducted the drill work in arithmetic, in accordance with the suggestions of the state department. It is gratifying to know that the classes of this school, in standing, are above the average in this subject for the state. Plain geometry, our tenth-year course in mathematics, is continued in accordance with the policy set forth in last year's report.

The course in senior mathematics has been revised, so as to be more closely coordinated with the work of our colleges. More of the college method of instruction is being employed. It is felt that this is necessary, inasmuch as the college method, placing as it does the emphasis solely on individual effort and responsibility, in many cases causes the pupil to fail in the application of the mathematical knowledge that he already possesses. In so far as possible, it is planned to give a preview of freshman mathematics. In several of the institutions to which graduates of this school have been admitted, it is found that a command of the fundamental principles of trigonometry is practically essential to successful completion of the college work as required in the freshman year. For the simple reason that the State Department does not recognize trigonometry as a course of secondary school mathematics to which credit may be given, a burden is placed upon the school and the

pupil to accomplish this work outside the curriculum. In fairness to the individual pupil, either the State Department should change its stand on this matter, or the colleges should change their demands. The school as now constituted, from an administrative point of view, is unable to cope with the problem.

### Latin.

The number of pupils studying Latin in the two courses offered in the Senior High School this year is comparatively small. The number in the sophomore class is less than in previous years owing to the fact that the only tenth-year pupils who take Latin in the Senior High School are those who studied it during the three years of their junior-high course. Another group of the tenth-year pupils who had only one year of Latin at the Junior High are continuing the study of Latin in that school this year. This arrangement makes it possible for those who have taken the complete junior-high course to advance more rapidly. Furthermore, it relieves the others of the burden of trying to keep up with a more advanced group.

Latin is one of the studies which has held a place on the high-school curricula of our own and foreign countries during the entire life of the high-school system. Formerly, too many pupils were enrolled in the classical course, but with the introduction of new courses pupils have been enticed away from the older studies.

When a girl has opportunities for studying the art of home making in her own home and possesses the ability to enter teaching, library work, journalism, or other professional callings, it is evidently a questionable move for her to select a vocational course in preference to Latin.

At present, too few parents and pupils recognize the cultural and disciplinary value of a continuous and thorough pursuit of a study which challenges the best of the pupil's ability. As a foundation upon which to build a thorough understanding of the English language, Latin is too important to be disregarded by those who



are looking forward to a college career where, in many courses, a student's success or failure depends largely upon his ability to read English largely composed of Latin derivatives. Boys and girls who are unwilling or unable to give the time and effort necessary to master high-school Latin are probably persons who should be looking forward to a trade school instead of a college career.

If any pupil in the schools of Franklin has decided upon teaching as a career, he would do well to consider very carefully before choosing some other course in place of Latin. This question, like all others connected with curricula choices, should be decided with the ultimate objective in view, and the earlier in his high-school career this choice can be made, the greater will be the pupil's chance for success.

### English.

English is the pivotal subject of the program of studies, entering into and conditioning the thinking processes involved in every other subject. It is therefore evident that "English is the business of the entire school" and "no school ever rises higher than its English." The aims of English as set forth by the department are:

1. to help the pupil to acquire the habit of thinking in reading concomitantly;
2. to guide him in correlating and developing his capacity in thinking and conversation concomitantly; and
3. to make behavioristic his talent in thinking and writing concomitantly.

One outstanding extrinsic problem of this department has been the meeting of the uniform college-entrance requirements. These requirements call for:

1. habits of correct, clear, and truthful expression.
2. ability to read with intelligence and appreciation works of moderate difficulty; and,
3. familiarity with a few masterpieces.

The habitual use of correct, clear, and truthful expressions can only be engendered by concerted effort on the part of all teachers, beginning with the first grade. For those who plan to enter college it seems advisable to require a standard of attainment equal to that which is represented by the capacity of an individual to pass the examinations given by the college board.

It seems desirable to enter into an even wider program of standard testing, both individual and group, in order that we may have an objective measurement of progress. The results of these tests must be interpreted and utilized in a most painstaking way. Those who are found to be below standard must be subjected to such teaching and drill methods as will correct the deficiency. For those pupils who are well above the standard of achievement, optional and individual assignments will be developed. Some adaptation likewise must be made along vocational lines. This does not mean that English is to become purely vocational, rather that the vocational phase of the work will not be neglected. In so far as possible a pupil should be given an insight into and a preparation for linguistic activities, whether civic, social, industrial, or educational.

We are interested in coordinating our English work with the higher institutions of learning. We are likewise very anxious to coordinate our work with the departments and grades from which we receive our school population. While other content subjects may exist as separate units, in no sense should this be true of English. The language-thinking processes, if they are to justify the proper expenditure of time on the part of the pupil, must represent a gradual, consistent, and guided evolution. We suggest round table conferences in which a concerted effort will be made towards the solution of the problem of the coordination of English for the Franklin school. We suggest that the classroom teachers constitute the main element of this committee. The administrator of the school shall reserve the right to examine, criticise, and adopt, when satisfactory, the policy and program thus obtained.

There is a desire to call attention to the fact that our school is losing an opportunity to teach indirectly an appreciation for books not in the courses of study, together with an appreciation for art, that can never be attained in later life. Both the school library proposition and the matter of pictures for class rooms and corridors should receive consideration. The school at present maintains a close relationship with the public library which is rendering indispensable service to the school. This department has been using the Hartford Reading List which has more recently been adopted by the State Board. The suggestions of this Board with regard to supplementary reading are of practical value to our school from the sixth grade to the twelfth.

Much work has been done by this department in tests and measurements. The work has covered the subject matter in a most thorough and comprehensive manner and is equal to, if not superior to that done in any other school in the State. For this school this is pioneer service and should be continued with vigor, with encouragement from the administration in all respects.

In the Thorndike-McCall test, covering silent reading, all classes surpassed the standard mark by a wide margin.

The Pressey grammar tests revealed a creditable attainment.

In the Pressey sentence structure tests, all three classes passed the standard mark.

The Wilson language error tests were given and in these all three classes obtained a superior mark.

The Columbia University spelling test was passed by our classes by a wide margin.

In addition, the New Hampshire State Board spelling test was passed by a wide margin by the classes of '26 and '25 and was only slightly failed by the class of '27. It is to be noted that the standards of the school are not so deplorable as the former reputation of the school would seem to indicate. Remedial measures, however, have been applied to correct such deficiencies as have been discovered.

The department is giving consideration to the expressional side of English training, debating, assembly demonstrations, literary and dramatic activities, the writing of original plays, journalism, and other extra curricula projects. These and other projects tend to intensify interest in school life and in class room procedure.

### Social Studies.

The work in Economics has been widely elected by the pupils of the school. In many respects, the course is an excellent one in that it helps our boys and girls to become familiar with the fundamental laws of business and economic procedure. At no previous year have we required two sections to take care of all those that desired this practical training.

The work in "Constitutional History is conducted in accordance with a statement that is given in last year's report. This course attempts to interpret the past, in the light of the present to the end that we may, in some measure, predict the trends of the future.

It is to be regretted that only two pupils, entering from the ninth grade, have seen fit to elect modern European history, a tenth-year subject. Every intelligent citizen must have some knowledge of what we owe to the far past, but more vital is the knowledge of the great problems of our own times. To accomplish this task, this course has been arranged. While I do not believe that this course should be made a requirement, I am firmly of the opinion that we need this tenth-year work in history now more than ever before, to keep alive the interests of our pupils in what is happening in the world today. It is my personal opinion that if our high schools are to prepare our boys and girls for true world citizenship, more extensive and intensive recognition must be accorded to history.

### Conclusion.

Supplementary to the regular vocational and academic courses offered in the High School are the courses in music and in physical education. As is customary, the functions of these departments will be set forth in detail in individual reports. It is desired to state here, however, that the work of the special teachers in relation to the High School has been both effective and praiseworthy.

In the course of this report, attention has been called to the fact that the newer trends in school management are being followed in this school. It has been indicated, also, that the size of the student body is by no means proportionate to the population of the city. Emphasis has been placed upon the necessity for directive guidance in the life of the individual pupil to the end that he will make a more prudent choice of curricula, such selection constituting, as it does, a most important part of his life's plan. Lastly, the problems, policies, and objectives of the various subjects of the program of studies have been summarily treated.

We are inestimably indebted to our Superintendent for his unstinted and kindly supervision; to the Board of Education for their zealous devotion to the advancement of our school; and to the members of the teaching staff for their sympathetic service and cooperation in our common cause.

Finally, if there is any thought that might be deemed worthy of being impressed upon the citizens of Franklin, it is this: that earnest, sincere, and consistent application to the tasks at hand will alone assure the youth of today of the right to play a worthy part in the life of tomorrow. The present administration of the High School subscribes to the faith of our Chief Executive:

"It is not enough that there be knowledge, history and poetry, eloquence and art, science and mathematics, philosophy and ethics, ideas and ideals. They must be vitalized. They

must be fashioned into life. . . . So out of our present imperfections, we shall develop that which is more perfect."

Such is the ideal for which we are striving. Our efforts will have been crowned with their highest reward if our pupils in the full fruition of later years will regard Franklin High School as having shown forth to them "the way, the truth, and the life."

Respectfully submitted,

ROY E. KELLER.

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## REPORT OF THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

To the Superintendent of Schools:—

I herewith submit the third annual report of the Daniell Junior High School:

After three years of junior high school organization we feel justified in saying that such organization has opened a new field of education to boys and girls of adolescent age. The gap between Elementary and Secondary schools is being bridged by the junior high school because it has at least three specific aims,—this movement means an economy of school time, it tends to prevent unnecessary withdrawals, and aims to further the cause of democracy in education. Even our short existence has proven the value of a system that has such tendencies. Added to the above mentioned purposes the teaching staff has stressed constantly and untiringly the need of higher standards of scholarship, the right of the individual to progress as rapidly as his ability will allow, and that education is not a text-book theory but learning to live by living.

Our curricula, our supervision, and our teaching aim is to humanize education of adolescents and our organization is a success or failure in so far as we can or cannot make our work practical.

During this past year there has been little change in our curricula for we feel that we must gradually remodel our courses to the needs of the pupils. Such changes mean time, money and intensive study of pupils, their needs, their home life and their future ambitions and possibilities.

The enrollment for the year 1925 averaged two hundred and thirty, and very few pupils left for other than compulsory reasons. Students commute daily from Grafton and South Danbury and other surrounding towns.

Our school day has been lengthened so that following a thirty-five minute assembly period there are six fifty minute periods. This has been valuable for it gives a greater opportunity for individual and supervised study during school hours and eliminates much home study for first year classes.

The large enrollment, the heavy curricula and extra heavy schedule carried by each teacher have made it necessary to neglect much of the extra curricula activity. We hope to have a large enough teaching force so that clubs may be reorganized, music classes and dancing classes be resumed through the winter, for our youth need such activities under as near ideal conditions as are possible and they are a valuable part of our special organization.

It is the policy of the school to keep in constant contact with the parents of our boys and girls because the triangle of parent, pupil and teacher can accomplish the greatest good for the pupil. Letters regarding the work, the attitude or the special needs of pupils are sent regularly to parents whose cooperation and suggestions have been invaluable.

In order to aid the boys and girls as they try daily to meet the problems that a most trying age is thrusting upon them special conferences are held. In the boys' conference we discuss problems that the boys commonly meet and try to find some way to present right ways of living. In the girls' conferences their peculiar problems are handled.

In our third year classes a beginning in systematic vocational guidance was made under the direction of Headmaster Keller with counsellors from the Parent-Teacher Association and the Junior High faculty. This tended to open the minds of parents and students to the definite end for which the school was a means. It is our purpose to carry on this work in a systematic manner.

There are many needs to be supplied before the Daniell Junior High school can even approach the ideals set by the School Board, Superintendent and faculty. We realize however, that all cannot be done in one year or in ten, but we shall strive to use that which we have to the greatest advantage of those who are Franklin's future citizens.

Whatever of growth has come to the school through this year has been due to the loyalty and efficient efforts of the faculty and the cooperation of the Board of Education, Superintendent of Schools and parents.

Respectfully submitted,

BESSIE C. ROWELL,  
Principal.

### SCHOOL NURSE'S REPORT.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

#### Public Schools.

Weighed and measured .....	810
Defects found:	
Defective teeth .....	242
Enlarged tonsils, slight .....	75
Enlarged tonsils, marked .....	34
Adenoids .....	39
Defective vision .....	52
Defective breathing .....	6
Defective hearing .....	2
Orthopedic defects .....	3



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Unvaccinated .....	19
Pediculosis .....	7
Enlarged glands .....	5
Other defects .....	4

## Corrections :

Teeth .....	298
Tonsils .....	17
Adenoids .....	18
Vision .....	38
Breathing .....	4
Hearing .....	2
Orthopedic .....	3
Vaccination .....	8
Pediculosis .....	7

**St. Mary's School.**

Weighed and measured .....	468
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## Defects found :

Defective teeth .....	128
Enlarged tonsils, slight .....	57
Enlarged tonsils, marked .....	50
Adenoids .....	47
Defective vision .....	28
Defective hearing .....	18
Defective breathing .....	7
Enlarged glands .....	3
Orthopedic defects .....	3
Pediculosis .....	3
Unvaccinated .....	11

## Corrections :

Teeth .....	197
Tonsils .....	7
Adenoids .....	7
Vision .....	21
Hearing .....	2
Breathing .....	7
Enlarged glands having treatment ....	3
Orthopedic .....	3
Pediculosis .....	3
Vaccination .....	10

In submitting my annual report, you will find considerable improvement over previous years. This is true, especially, in regard to defective teeth.

A greater number are having dental treatment.

Fewer defective teeth were found in the class entering Kindergarten, September 11, 1925, than any previous year.

Through the generosity of one of our local optometrists, a number of pupils' eyes have been examined after the test had been given in school.

A number of cases of diseased tonsils have received treatment.

Fourteen cases that came under special supervision of the nurse, and had been referred by the doctors, were taken care of.

Being unable to procure milk for the pupils, this last year, we substituted oranges.

The pupils paid for the oranges at the rate of two and one-half cents apiece. We were fortunate in getting them at this price for a period of six weeks. A weekly average of 38 dozens were used.

The work is being carried on in the usual way, that is, if any defects are found, the boy or girl is advised to see their family physician for further examination and treatment.

The Red Cross Nursing and Social Service Committees have been generous in giving their aid to help carry on some of the work by furnishing transportation.

I wish to thank you, the teachers, doctors and any others for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE R. PROVOST, R. N.

## FINANCIAL REPORT.

### Receipts.

Balance on hand, January 1, 1925 .....	\$373 16
Appropriation for 1925 .....	71,812 00
From tuition, 1924, \$701.16; 1925, \$2671.56; .....	3,372 72
From Dog Tax .....	784 13
From Sales of Books and Supplies, etc. ....	146 40
	\$76,488 41

### Payments.

Salaries, High School Teachers .....	\$11,846 77
Salaries, Junior High Teachers .....	12,938 22
Salaries, Elementary Teachers .....	16,260 37
Salaries, Evening School Teachers .....	510 00
Salaries, Summer School Teachers .....	375 00
Salaries, Special Teachers (Music, Writing, Physical Training) .....	2,609 90
Books and Supplies .....	4,360 14
Care of Buildings .....	4,408 09
Fuel .....	3,363 58
Transportation .....	4,031 00
Repairs, 1924 .....	961 11
Repairs, 1925 .....	3,084 07
Miscellaneous .....	2,214 62
Permanent Construction .....	3,247 39
Per Capita Tax .....	1,814 00
Play Ground Equipment .....	222 79
Truant Officers .....	192 50
Janitors' Supplies .....	967 44
Insurance .....	595 00
Supervisory District .....	900 00
Equipment .....	1,537 46
Health Supervision .....	6 47
Cash Balance .....	42 49
	\$76,488 41

## EXPENDITURE IN DETAIL.

## Salaries of Teachers.

## High School.

Berwick, Lucy E. ....	\$1,281 92
Brooks, Rachel .....	433 29
Davis, Mary F. ....	1,361 09
Eccles, Thomas G. ....	1,238 77
Keller, Roy E. ....	2,855 50
Manuel, Ida M. ....	1,361 09
Pierce, Walter .....	1,494 42
Rixford, Madge .....	1,087 43
Tetzlaff, Marie .....	733 26
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	\$11,846 77

## Junior High School.

Bacheider, Helen .....	\$1,118 08
Brooks, Rachel .....	733 26
Brown, H. L. E. ....	1,402 76
Burke, Florence .....	1,166 55
Callahan, Katherine .....	1,118 08
Densmore, Ruth .....	641 63
Fleming, Margaret .....	379 15
Foss, Harriet .....	1,069 17
Glode, Virginia .....	1,136 08
Price, Ellen .....	1,038 85
Rowell, Bessie .....	1,640 19
Turnbull, Robert .....	1,494 42
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	\$12,938 22

## Special Teachers.

Burnham, Charles .....	\$605 85
Clark, Paulita .....	165 00
Cox, Newton .....	353 84
Watts, Estelle .....	722 80
Welch, Helen P. ....	762 41
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	\$2,609 90

**Elementary Teachers.**

Brown, Grace .....	\$1,069 43
Brown, Eliza .....	300 00
Butler, Emma .....	580 58
Campbell, Hattie .....	1,166 66
Hebert, Beatrice .....	941 66
Holmes, Helen .....	1,069 43
Jackman, Florence .....	972 24
Marshall, Marjorie .....	875 00
Mertinath, Margaret .....	844 42
Mullavey, Sylvia .....	325 00
Pettengill, Charline .....	972 24
Pike, Mary .....	960 00
Piper, Rena .....	972 24
Rand, Bertha .....	875 00
Richardson, Margaret .....	868 07
Sliney, Elizabeth .....	641 63
Ward, Margaret .....	1,069 43
Welch, Mrs. Arthur .....	718 07
Whelpley, Marion .....	990 31
Leighton, Mabel, substitute .....	36 00
Libbey, S. B., substitute .....	12 96
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	\$16,260 37

**Evening School.**

Berwick, Lucy E. ....	\$66 00
Bachelder, Helen .....	114 00
Brown, H. L. E. ....	48 00
Burke, Florence .....	116 00
Glode, Virginia .....	50 00
Ward, Margaret .....	116 00
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	\$510 00

**Summer School.**

Burke, Florence .....	\$75 00
Hebert, Dorothy .....	75 00
Holmes, Helen .....	75 00
Jackman, Florence .....	75 00
Mullavey, Sylvia .....	75 00
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	\$375 00

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**Books and Supplies.**

Little, Brown & Co. ....	\$2 16
Prentice Hall ....	2 34
Pen. Publishing Co. ....	2 40
R. H. Hinckley ....	58 05
Doubleday, Page & Co. ....	6 00
Teachers' College ....	26 05
American Educational Digest ....	5 00
University Publishing Co. ....	1 75
American National Red Cross ....	62
J. B. Lippincott & Co. ....	26 74
W. S. Guiler ....	1 18
G. & C. Merriam ....	40 00
F. M. Ambrose ....	7 68
Lyons & Carnahan ....	27 76
Johnson Publishing Co. ....	1 73
Rand McNally Co. ....	27 90
D. C. Heath & Co. ....	9 67
Gregg Publishing Co. ....	31 44
Charles Scribner's Sons Co. ....	8 48
Charles E. Merrill Co. ....	29 14
G. Schirmer ....	12 00
P. Blakiston's Son & Co. ....	15 64
American Viewpoint Society ....	17 50
Chemical Foundation ....	2 00
Row, Peterson & Co. ....	11 56
Bruce Publishing Co. ....	4 82
Public School Publishing Co. ....	17 60
E. C. Schirmer ....	7 28
D. Appleton & Co. ....	10 40
World Book Co. ....	249 69
Benj. H. Sanborn Co. ....	187 72
Funk & Wagnalls Co. ....	22 24
Ginn & Co. ....	184 15
American Book Co. ....	69 16
Houghton, Mifflin Co. ....	108 52
C. C. Birchard & Co. ....	48 76
Desmond Publishing Co. ....	45 00
W. S. Stewart ....	25 06
Edward E. Babb & Co. ....	860 95

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Atlantic Monthly .....	3 89
Educational Publishing Co. ....	3 89
M. Barrows & Co. ....	12 18
The Forum .....	1 00
John C. Winston Co. ....	216 31
Allyn & Bacon .....	149 53
School District Kansas City .....	1 25
Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge .....	13 67
Standard Book Co. ....	75 81
J. Fischer Bros. ....	4 11
Silver Burdett Co. ....	35 80
MacMillan Co. ....	89 87
Scott Foresman Co. ....	23 88
McIntosh Publishing Co. ....	33 03
New England Publishing Co. ....	2 50
College Book Co. ....	2 00
Holmes & Nelson Co. ....	29 50
Chadwick & Kidder .....	121 74
Carl Fischer .....	77
Griffin Drug Co. ....	35 97
Edgar T. Wards & Sons .....	3 34
Library Bureau .....	7 95
Manchester Paper Supply Co. ....	4 75
Avery's Music Store .....	8 00
Shepard Bros. ....	96 20
J. L. Hammett Co. ....	325 51
Milton Bradley Co. ....	222 35
G. W. Sawyer & Son .....	75 38
Harris & Gilpatric .....	243 25
H. W. Dubois Co. ....	57 40
Franklin Grocery Co. ....	1 45
Clarence P. Stevens .....	59 97
Neostyle Sales Agency .....	22 78
Ryan & Buker .....	21 50
Emil Ascher .....	8 22
Edward H. Quimby .....	12 31
Cambridge Botanical Supply Co. ....	8 00
Towne & Robie .....	4 75
Dowling School Supply Co. ....	35 19
Russell & Foster .....	6 09
Brayco Co. ....	28 00

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L. B. Sanders .....	5 00
H. L. Young .....	8 05
M. Witmark & Sons .....	6 75
Standard Electric Time Co. ....	2 10
Oliver Ditson Co. ....	4 59
Harry Houston .....	8 42

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\$4,360 14

### Miscellaneous.

Charles R. Pease .....	\$19 50
Franklin Grocery Co. ....	80
Central N. H. Telephone Co. ....	187 90
Doris Wells .....	5 25
Robert Turnbull .....	16 85
A. H. Heath .....	5 14
E. C. Squire .....	10 00
George E. Clark .....	139 25
Ernest Elliott .....	18 50
H. W. Burleigh .....	4 00
American Railway Express .....	9 64
Leon F. Judkins .....	22 05
Paul Hawthorne .....	2 55
George Morin .....	8 85
Forest Glines .....	5 25
Eugene Reeves .....	3 45
Squire Durham .....	26 95
W. H. Longever .....	3 75
Joseph Gero .....	78 75
Max Schwotzer .....	59 50
John Dargie .....	25 44
Helen Welch .....	4 32
Estelle C. Watts .....	14 14
Franklin Light & Power Co. ....	771 22
Eugene Sawyer .....	2 80
Granite State Nurseries .....	24 00
Merton Denish .....	12 00
Sulloway Mills .....	7 05
E. M. Perkins .....	11 64
W. S. Stewart .....	17 45



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J. Fischer Bros. ....	4 13
Holmes & Nelson Co. ....	14 63
George Turcotte ....	75 00
Bessie Rowell ....	3 89
Helen Holmes ....	3 45
Noble & Noble ....	4 16
National Child Welfare Association ....	7 00
Towne & Robie ....	237 36
Odd Fellows' Block ....	5 00
Library Bureau ....	18 48
School Board Journal ....	3 00
Charles Bean ....	30 00
Fred S. Heath ....	16 08
Fred S. Libbey ....	17 50
Alice Cushing ....	181 95
Edward L. Welch ....	75 00
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	\$2,214 62

**Repairs.**

O. M. Ross ....	\$458 56
L. C. Stevens ....	411 30
Chadwick & Kidder ....	367 72
Charles Douphinett ....	21 95
Seneca G. Hoyt ....	3 40
H. W. Burleigh ....	49 20
C. P. Stevens ....	77 73
Judkins & Wallace ....	360 39
Ralph W. Cate ....	141 81
H. E. Colby ....	5 20
Henry L. Young ....	37 13
William Martin ....	134 05
Franklin Water Works ....	5 42
W. B. Pierce ....	208 20
Keegan & French, 1924 ....	961 11
Keegan & French, 1925 ....	766 65
Eugene Sawyer ....	33 25
N. J. Putney ....	84
American Radiator Company ....	1 27
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	\$4,045 18

### Play Ground Equipment.

Draper Maynard Co. ....	\$16 65
Holmes & Nelson .....	8 86
Griffin Drug Co. ....	177 18
Chadwick & Kidder .....	6 75
C. P. Stevens .....	13 35
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	\$222 79

### Permanent Construction.

Charles Douchinett .....	\$790 00
Joseph Cleary .....	25 00
E. Robinson .....	37 00
Judkins & Wallace .....	302 11
Franklin National Bank .....	159 03
Chadwick & Kidder .....	403 12
L. C. Stevens .....	233 76
O. M. Ross .....	11 90
Davey Tree Expert Co. ....	402 12
W. B. Pierce .....	134 40
Eugene Sawyer .....	15 75
Keegan & French .....	285 71
C. P. Stevens .....	56 93
Seneca G. Hoyt .....	69 98
William H. Martin .....	244 58
George Clark .....	76 00
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	\$3,247 39

### Fuel.

Luther Thompson .....	\$50 00
A. J. Meaney .....	100 00
Charles Douchinett .....	203 45
Melvin Woodward .....	10 00
Merrimack Fuel & Feed Co. ....	1,560 38
Henry L. Emery .....	33 75
Henry Smith .....	6 00
City of Franklin .....	1,400 00
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	\$3,363 58

**Insurance.**

Clyde C. Brown .....	\$108 00
Thomas Clifford .....	65 00
H. A. Currier .....	192 00
Herbert Griffin .....	62 00
Dennis Sullivan .....	67 00
O. M. Huntoon .....	40 00
H. L. Powell .....	61 00
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**Transportation.**

Charles Hill .....	\$538 00
Herbert Piper .....	883 50
Frank Plizga .....	901 00
Frank Prescott .....	1,312 50
Joseph Williams .....	396 00
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**Equipment.**

J. L. Hammett Co. ....	\$297 52
Ernest Elliott .....	6 50
Edward E. Babb & Co. ....	121 45
C. P. Stevens .....	47 94
Page Belting Co. ....	36 20
Henry L. Young .....	119 82
Liberty Paper Co. ....	4 75
Cambridge Botanical Supply Co. ....	7 83
Carl Fischer .....	5 98
Ryan & Buker .....	403 60
Norton Co. ....	8 97
Henry Disston & Sons .....	8 56
Underwood Typewriter Co. ....	200 00
Desmond Publishing Co. ....	16 00
Judkins & Wallace .....	4 29
Beaupre Bros. Foundry .....	19 95
Chadwick & Kidder .....	48 10
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins .....	15 65
H. W. Burleigh & Son .....	8 00
Suloway Mills .....	123 60
Durkin, Reeves & Co. ....	6 60
H. E. Colby .....	14 15
F. W. Woolworth Co. ....	12 00
	<hr/> \$1,537 46

### Janitor's Supplies.

Keegan & French .....	\$107 63
Franklin Grocery Company .....	12 81
Cotton Goods Supply Co. ....	20 30
Judkins & Wallace .....	25 61
Central Garage .....	75
C. P. Stevens .....	194 83
H. W. Burleigh & Son .....	4 75
Herbert Hancock .....	3 35
Main Street Pharmacy .....	2 25
Masury Young Co. ....	56 60
J. L. Hammett Co. ....	180 67
W. S. Sanitary Specialties Co. ....	21 50
Chadwick & Kidder .....	107 41
American Radiator Co. ....	2 35
Pioneer Mfg. Co. ....	104 68
Griffin Drug Co. ....	35 47
H. I. Dallman Co. ....	19 23
Franklin Light & Power Co. ....	6 75
E. F. Meyer .....	4 60
Edward E. Babb & Co. ....	17 30
Tropical Paint & Oil Co. ....	31 20
John B. Varick .....	5 40
G. O. Thompson .....	2 00
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	\$967 44

### Care of Buildings.

Eliasson, Algot .....	\$1,781 84
Berry, Ira .....	1,301 00
Roberts, Joshua .....	1,171 00
Bill, Bolux .....	6 75
Sawyer, Eugene .....	77 50
Pike, Mary .....	35 00
Woodward, Rachel .....	13 00
Woodward, Melvin .....	22 00
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	\$4,408 09

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**Truant Officers.**

Eliasson, Algot .....	\$140 00
Roberts, Joshua .....	52 50
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	\$192 50

**Per Capita Tax.**

Henry E. Chamberlain, State Treasurer .....	\$1,814 00
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**Supervisory District.**

Joseph C. Bodwell, Treasurer .....	\$900 00
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**Health Supervision.**

Griffin Drug Co. ....	\$6 47
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## GRADUATION EXERCISES.

### Class of 1925.

#### Program.

Processional March	<i>Ascher</i>
Junior High School Orchestra	
Invocation	
Salutatory and Essay, "Freedom and the Press"	
Alice Cushing	
Essay, "The Spirit of Sport"	
Albert Gauthier	
'Cello, "Romanze"	<i>Alfred Moffat</i>
Madelene Bakeman	
Essay, "Music, the Gift of God"	
Cedelle DuMoulin	
Two Piano Duet, "Charge of the Uhlans"	<i>Ch. Durand</i>
Genevieve Jaastad, Juliette Routhier	
Essay, "Education as Life"	
Paul Nourie	
Chorus, (a) "Mother Machree"	<i>Ball</i>
(b) "The Forest Dance"	<i>Targett</i>
Sophomore Choir	
Essay, "The Romance of the Celluloid Spool"	
Stella Morrill	
Piano, "Rondo Capriccioso"	<i>Mendelssohn</i>
Melvin Redman	
Essay and Valedictory, "The True American"	
Doris Cate	
Presentation of the Gift of the Class of 1925	
Robert Sargent	
Presentation of Diplomas	
Mr. R. W. Sulloway	
Benediction	
Recessional	<i>Ascher</i>
Junior High School Orchestra	

### Members of the Class.

Winona Gertrude Ackerman	†Jennie Houghton Fraser
Flora B. Aldrich	Dorothy Arlette Gilkerson
Madelene Edson Bakeman	†Marie Jeanne Hebert
*Doris Wilma Cate	Genevieve Ann Jaastad
Lura Gertrude Cate	Dorothy Mae Lorden
*Alice Louise Cushing	Kemis Elizabeth Minah
Olive Mae Cutler	†Stella Theodus Morrill
†Cedelle Amanda DuMoulin	Thelma Ethelyn Partelo
Marguerite Ethelyn Foster	Juliette Rachel Routhier
Beatrice Mae Twombly	
Raymond Allen Davis	Winston Frederick McKee
Ernest Joseph Decato	Maurice Eugene Merrill
Gilman Virgin Frye	Birmingham D. Minah
Howard W. Garand	Roland Joseph Morin
*Albert Eugene Gauthier	†Paul Edward Nourie
Leon Exephère Hamel	†Melvin Constantine Redman
Robert Everett Sargent	

\* Honor pupils who have attained an average mark of 90 percent or above for all courses.

† Pupils who have attained an average mark of 85 percent or more for all courses.

## ROLL OF HONOR FOR PERFECT ATTENDANCE

### For the Year Ending June 30, 1925

High School—Mildred Blake, Doris Cate, Lura Cate, Julia Gibbs, Verna Gosselin, Mary J. Hebert, Mary Keegan, Phyllis Merrill, Juliette Routhier, Mary St. Pierre, Lena Touchette, Edward Allard, Angus Griffin, Wesley Heath, Ernest St. Pierre, Robert Stanley, Chester Welch.

Junior High—Mary Berard, Sadie Brooks, Bernice Gibbs, Everett Leonard, Omer Martin, Willard Osborne, Lillian Pelletier, Andrew Rayno, Eugene Reeves, Philip Robinson, Bertha Morrill, Clement Smith, Goldie Veysey, Everand Young, Doris Bates, Barbara Cunningham, Florence Joyce.

Falls, Grade VI—Gertrude Clifford.

Falls, Grade V—Mary Grezelak, Evelyn Mayo, Marjorie Stott, Eleanor Wise.

Falls, Grade IV—Miezlau Bill, Tadeuz Grezelak, Vernon Winn.

Hancock, Grade III—Leon Sockowski, Joseph Barna.

Hancock, Grade II—Edward Buczynski, Emilia Gut, Leon Sockowski, Ernest Young.

Hancock, Grade I—Waleria Gut, Margaret Kingsbury, Carolina Lasak.

Nesmith, Grade VI—Leo Spooner.

Nesmith, Grade V—Raymond Joyce.

Nesmith, Grade IV—Arnold Boyce.

Nesmith, Grade III—Arnold Kimball, Harold Kimball, Nellie Pastuszczak.

Nesmith, Grade II—Jennie Kulacz.

Nesmith, Grade I—Julia Pastuszczak.

Golden Rule Farm—Alvin Downing, Paul Dow, Kenneth Gould, Willie Haire, Otis Haire, Wesley Woodward, Robert Haire.

Morrison School—Bernice Kzawiec, Julia Plizga, Anna Plizga.



**SCHOOL DIRECTORY.****Board of Education.**

RICHARD W. SULLOWAY, President.

MRS. ALICE M. SHEPARD.

MAXIME A. PROULX, Secretary.

The regular meetings of the Board are held at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, at the Junior High School building, the first Monday of each month at 2:00 o'clock.

**Treasurer.**

WILLIAM A. DUSSAULT.

**Superintendent of Schools.**

FRED S. LIBBEY.

Office hours from 8:00 to 8:30 at High School Building.  
8:30 to 9:00 and 4:00 to 5:00 at Junior High Building.

**Teachers.**

High School—Roy E. Keller, Headmaster. So. Main St.  
Lucy E. Berwick, Commercial.

Mary F. Davis, Mathematics and French. 97 Orchard St.

Thomas G. Eccles, English. 92 Pleasant St.

Ida M. Manuel, Latin and History. 55 Prospect St.

Walter B. Pierce, Science. Highland Ave.

Madge Rixford, Domestic Arts. 106 Prospect St.

Rachel Brooks, English. 30 Oak St.

Junior High—Bessie C. Rowell, Principal. 83 So. Main St.

Harry L. Brown, Mechanic Arts. 736 Central St.

Helen Bachelder, History. 22 Oak St.

Florence A. Burke, History. 14 Sanger St.

Katherine Callahan, Latin. 55 Central St.

Margaret Fleming, English and Mathematics. 70 Thompson Park.

Harriet Foss, Mathematics. 18 No. Main St.

Virginia Glode, Commercial. Pine St.

Ellen E. Price, Science. 151 Prospect St.

Robert Turnbull, Mechanic Arts. 92 Pleasant St.

Special Teachers—Newton Cox, Physical Director. 75 Orchard St.

Helen P. Welch, Supervisor of Penmanship. Pine St.  
Estelle C. Watts, Supervisor of Music. Calef Hill Road.

Falls Grade 5, Hattie Campbell, Principal. 96 Franklin St.  
6, Margaret Ward. 93 Franklin St.  
4A, Marion Whelpley. 30 Oak St.  
4B, Eliza Brown. 736 Central St.

Hancock:

Grade 1, Grace Brown, Principal. 18 Lancaster St.  
2, Charline Pettengill. 55 Central St.  
3, Sylvia Mullavey. 114 Pleasant St.

Kindergarten, Bertha S. Rand. Calef Hill Road.

Nesmith:

Grade 6, Helen E. Holmes, Principal. 72 North Main St.  
5, Margaret Mertinath. 39 Highland Ave.  
4, Rena Piper. 135 No. Main St.  
3, Margaret Richardson. 4 No. Main St.  
2, Florence A. Jackman. 32 Depot St.  
1, Beatrice Hebert. 558 Central St.

Kindergarten, Marjorie Marshall. 166 So. Main St.

Golden Rule Farm: Mary F. Pike. Prescott Farm.

Morrison School: Myrle Welch. J. O. Morrison's, New Hampton Road.

### Janitors.

Ira Berry—High School and Hancock Buildings.

Algot Eliasson—Junior High Building.

Joshua Roberts—Nesmith Building.

### Truant Officers.

Algot Eliasson. Joshua Roberts.

Table of Registration and Attendance for the School  
Year, Ending June 30, 1925.

School	Grades			Total Enrollment	Boys	Girls	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Number of Tardinesses
High	10	11	12	143	61	82	129	3	13	97	162
Junior High	7	8	9	231	121	110	193	9	22	96	182
Falls		6		41	19	22	33	2	35	96	27
"		5		44	23	21	39	1	40	97	53
"		4		60	33	27	51	4	57	92	55
Hancock		3		59	31	28	54	2	56	95	52
"		2		40	17	23	35	2	37	95	98
"		1		40	19	21	34	2	36	95	48
Kindergarten				31	14	17	24	3	27	90	121
Nesmith		6		26	12	14	20	1	21	97	31
"		5		37	17	20	33	1	34	95	42
"		4		24	17	7	21	2	23	93	22
"		3		33	17	16	26	1	27	96	9
"		2		25	15	10	21	1	22	93	25
"		1		34	12	22	27	2	29	92	34
Kindergarten				16	9	7	12	1	13	89	25
Golden Rule Farm	1-8			25	25		21	0	21	99	3
Morrison	1-7			22	8	14	18	$\frac{1}{2}$	18	97	18
Total 1924 1925				931	470	461	793	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	830	95	1067
" 1923 1924				918	440	468	752	33	785	96	914
" 1922 1923				906	457	449	741	36	777	95	908
SCHOOL CENSUS											
	1924		1925								
Boys		700	759								
Girls		646	674								
Total	1346		1433								

## SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS.

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### SANGER SCHOLARSHIP.

Resolved by the Board of Education of Franklin:

Whereas, Warren F. Daniell has by his written communication addressed to the Board of Education, expressed his intention of establishing a free scholarship for graduates of the Franklin High School in Simmons College in honor of his mother, and to be known as the "Sanger Scholarship," and agreeing to pay annually a sum sufficient to pay the costs of tuition for one student for four years in any of the courses described in the catalogue of the College, and

Whereas, a student to be awarded this scholarship must comply with the following regulations: First, she must have completed four years' satisfactory work at the Franklin high school; second, her parents must reside in Franklin.

Be it Resolved: That the Board of Education of the City of Franklin fully appreciate the spirit that prompted Mr. Daniell to establish this scholarship for the benefit of the young women of said city, thereby creating an additional incentive for higher educational advantages: and

Be it further Resolved: That said Board of Education willingly accepts said trust: and

Be it further Resolved: That a permanent Committee on Scholarship shall be established to consist of the Chairman of the Board of Education, the Superintendent of Schools and the Headmaster of the High School of said city, and

Be it further Resolved: That this resolution shall be printed annually in the school report of said Board,

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**FRANKLIN STUDENT AID FUND.**

To the Mayor and Members of the City Council, Franklin, N. H.:

In June, 1921, I placed with Dartmouth College at Hanover, N. H., a fund of \$2,500.00—the income from which I wished to be used to assist under certain conditions students at that institution who were residents of this city.

It was found incompatible with the methods of disposing of the funds at Dartmouth College, to handle this fund under the conditions which I wished to impose—and for that reason I have transferred this sum from Dartmouth College to the City of Franklin.

I am attaching herewith the securities representing the fund together with a statement of the methods I wish followed in disposing of the income from the fund.

Respectfully yours,

WALTER F. DUFFY.

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**FRANKLIN STUDENT AID FUND.**

Established by Walter F. Duffy, June, 1921.

A sum of \$2,500.00 is entrusted to the City of Franklin N. H., the income from which is to be used to assist worthy boys and girls, residents of this city, to secure a collegiate education or its equivalent.

The recipients of the income from this fund are to be selected by a board of three consisting of the Chairman of the Board of Education, Superintendent of Schools and Principal of the High School of the City of Franklin, N. H.

The income from this fund is to be disposed of under the following fixed conditions:—

### **I. Scholarship.**

A student must attain such satisfactory standing in studies as to make it apparent to the authorities of the institution of learning where he attends, that it is advisable that the student pursue his studies and that he is on this account worthy of financial aid.

### **II. Financial Needs.**

It is to be required that the students who receive benefit from this fund shall be obliged, through lack of family financial resources, to earn at least a substantial part of the money necessary to meet the expenses of their attendance upon their studies.

### **III. General Restrictions.**

It is to be understood that in allotting the proceeds of the fund, preference is to be given to students at Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H., who are residents of the City of Franklin, N. H. If no such students apply for the benefits of this fund, then the income can be used to assist any boys or girls who are residents of the City of Franklin, N. H., and who are pursuing a course of studies in any institution of learning giving a collegiate education or its equivalent, provided that the first two conditions covering the disposition of the benefits of this fund are fulfilled.

It is also to be understood that the income from this fund may be divided between two or more students, and that any students who receive financial aid from the institutions of learning where they attend are not thereby prevented from receiving aid from this fund.

If no students fulfilling the above requirements apply for the benefit of this fund the proceeds may be used as they accrue each year as seems best to the three persons mentioned above for the general educational good of the citizens of Franklin, N. H.

### DANIELL SCHOLARSHIP.

In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

A resolution relating to the "Daniell Scholarship."

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

Whereas, Jere R. Daniell of New London, Connecticut, on the second day of April, 1914, by his written communication of that date, addressed to the Mayor and Council of the City of Franklin, expressed his intention of establishing a free scholarship for graduates of the Franklin High School to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in memory of his father, the late Warren F. Daniell, and to be known as the "Daniell Scholarship," and together with his letter of the 16th of May, 1914, in which he agreed to give the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars each and every year, hereafter, beginning September 1st, 1914, to cover the costs of tuition for one student for four years in any one of the courses described in the catalogue of the Institute, and,

That a student to be awarded this scholarship, in whole or in part, must comply with the following named conditions:

First. He must have completed four years' satisfactory work at the Franklin High School.

Second. His parents or parent must reside in Franklin, and be unable without undue deprivation, to pay the tuition required themselves.

Third. He must show during his four years' work at the High School, marked ability in some one of the several subjects covered by the Institute courses.

In case several candidates present themselves in any one year, the scholarship will be awarded by competition in the entrance examinations for the Institute. The candidate entering with highest standing to receive the award.

A holder of the scholarship will be expected to maintain the same standard of work at the Institute as that required of holders of regular Institute scholarships and the scholarship will be withdrawn in case the work is unsatisfactory.

The right is reserved to divide the amount of the scholarship among several applicants should such action seem desirable.

Be it resolved, That the City of Franklin fully appreciates the spirit that prompted Mr. Daniell to establish this scholarship for the benefit of the young men of said city, thereby creating an additional incentive for higher educational advantages in those who through misfortune or adversity would otherwise be prevented from obtaining the same; and

Be it further resolved, That said City willingly accepts said trust, and does hereby direct that the annual payment of the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars shall be made to the city Treasurer, who shall pay the annual tuition of said student or students upon the presentation of the bill for same by the Bureau of the Institute, and,

Be it further resolved, That a permanent Committee on Scholarship shall be established to consist of the chairman of the Board of Education, the Superintendent of Schools and the Principal of the High School of said City of Franklin, and

Be it further resolved, That this resolution shall annually be printed in the reports of said city.

Approved,

W. W. EDWARDS, *Mayor.*

Passed June 1, 1914.



## RESOLUTIONS.

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution relating to the appointment of the Standing Committees of the Council.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

That the Mayor be authorized to appoint the following Standing Committees of the Council to consist of three members each:

Highways,  
Sewers,  
Fire Department,  
Police,  
Schools,  
Public Lands and Buildings,  
Ordinances,  
Street Lighting,  
Cemeteries,  
Claims,

Finance, to consist of the Mayor and two members of the Council.

Passed January 5, 1925.

Approved, ELMER D. KELLEY, *Mayor*.

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution relating to Hiring Money.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

That the Mayor and City Treasurer for the time being, are authorized to hire money to pay the current expenses of the several departments, and any outstanding notes, bonds, or evidences of debt of the city becoming due, and to give promissory notes of the City therefor..

Passed January 5, 1925.

Approved, ELMER D. KELLEY, Mayor.

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution relating to the weekly pay rolls.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

That the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to draw his draft each week for the payment of the weekly pay roll of the highway, sewer and other departments where weekly payment is required.

Passed January 5, 1925.

Approved, ELMER D. KELLEY, Mayor.

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution relating to the discount in the collection of taxes.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

That in the collection of taxes the tax collector be authorized and directed to make the following discount: Upon all taxes paid on or before August 1, two percent, and

the collector shall give notice to all persons whose poll tax remains unpaid September 1, and if same is not paid in fourteen days thereafter, twenty cents shall be added.

Passed March 2, 1925.

Approved, ELMER D. KELLEY, *Mayor*.

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution relating to the appropriations for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

That the following appropriations be made for the year 1925:

Appropriations:

Interest:

Water Debt Bonds .....	\$3,100 00
Water Works Note of March 1, 1926 .....	160 00
Memorial Hall and Sewer Ex- tension Bonds .....	1,750 00
Nesmith School, etc., Bonds ...	1,050 00
Temporary Loans .....	1,000 00
Cemetery Trust Funds .....	1,125 00
Odell Memorial Arch Fund ...	160 00
Odell Park Cottage Fund ....	160 00
Central St. Improvement Loan	600 00
New Daniell Bridge Loan ....	1,822 50
Junior High School Loan ....	2,790 00
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	\$13,717 50
City Poor .....	2,500 00
Fire Department .....	12,400 00
Highway Department .....	30,000 00
Sidewalks .....	300 00
Trunk Line Maintenance .....	2,800 00
State Aid Maintenance .....	5,585 92

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State Aid Construction .....	3,874 09
Garbage Removal .....	2,500 00
Playgrounds .....	250 00
Sewer Maintenance .....	600 00
Memorial Hall .....	1,400 00
Memorial Day .....	300 00
Public Library .....	4,200 00
Police .....	6,000 00
Salaries .....	5,300 00
Street Lighting .....	8,400 00
Public Health Nurse .....	1,700 00
State Tax .....	22,005 00
County Tax .....	13,024 54
Tree Warden .....	1,000 00
Incidentals .....	3,000 00
Schools .....	71,812 00
Hospital .....	1,000 00
Odell Park .....	500 00
Heating Plant .....	1,800 00
Central Street Improvement Loan .....	3,000 00
New Daniell Bridge Loan .....	2,250 00
Water Works Bonds .....	6,000 00
Junior High School Loan .....	4,000 00
Exchange American LaFrance Combination Trucks .....	3,500 00
Land corner of W. Bow and Central streets ...	2,500 00
Band Concerts .....	200 00
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	\$237, 419 95

Passed May 25, 1925.

Approved, ELMER D. KELLEY, Mayor.

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution relating to raising money by taxation.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

That the sum of \$206,161.53 be raised by taxation the present year and that the assessors be instructed to assess for that amount as follows:

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State Tax .....	\$22,005 00
County Tax .....	13,024 54
Public Library .....	4,200 00
School Money by law .....	26,932 54
Bearing Money .....	4,894 96
Poll Taxes .....	9,900 00
National Bank Tax .....	1,204 49
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	\$82,161 53

and the sum of \$124,000.00 to meet the current expenses provided for by the appropriations made and the same be appropriated with the other revenues of the City to meet the same.

Passed July 6, 1925.

Approved, ELMER D. KELLEY, Mayor.

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In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

A resolution in relation to collection of poll taxes.

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

On March 2, 1925, a resolution relating to discount in the collection of taxes was passed by the Council. That part of the resolution ordering the tax collector to give notice to all persons whose poll tax remains unpaid September 1st, is hereby rescinded and the following substituted:

“That the collector is hereby instructed to give notice to all persons whose poll tax remains unpaid September 16th, and if same is not paid in fourteen days thereafter, twenty cents shall be added.”

Passed September 9, 1925.

Approved, ELMER D. KELLEY, Mayor.

## ORDINANCES.

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### Relating to the Collection of Garbage.

In the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

*Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

Section 1. The collection of garbage by the highway department of the city shall be made at the times and under the conditions herein set forth, and in no other manner.

Section 2. Weekly collections will be made each Saturday starting at seven a. m., at the Daniell bridge on Central street and continuing easterly to the Sanborn bridge, including Smith, Canal and Memorial streets, and Franklin street southerly from Central street to Ayles Court. Commencing at ten a. m., on each Saturday, collections will be made on Main street.

Section 3. That on the first Tuesday of each month, collections will be made on Willow Hill, Bow street, Glenwood avenue, River street, Terrace street and Ward one; on Wednesday following, collections will be made on Franklin street and all streets westerly to River street, and on Myrtle, Pleasant, Oak, Orchard, Pine and Beech streets, Highland and Elm avenues; and on Thursday, collections will be made on Prospect street and all streets between Prospect and Franklin streets.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of all persons residing within the limits hereinbefore set forth who desire to have garbage or refuse matter removed by the city to place same in suitable receptacles that can be handled by two men, carefully separating all papers, tins, bottles and other materials from ashes, and placing them in separate

receptacles. No garbage or refuse of any kind shall be put into the highway unless placed in receptacles, and all receptacles shall be placed on the outer edge of the sidewalk, a reasonable period in advance of the time specified for collections.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed March 6, 1916.

Approved,

A. A. BEATON, *Mayor*.

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### Report of Committee on Street Lighting Relating to Poles and Wires of Telephone and Other Companies.

*To the Mayor and City Council of Franklin:*

The Committee on street Lighting to whom was referred the subject matter, relating to the wires and poles of telephone and other companies, having considered the same herewith file their report and recommend that the same be adopted, to wit:

1. That poles of every kind and description and all overhead wires of telephone or other companies on Central street, between the Daniell bridge, so-called, and the Sanborn bridge, so-called, shall be removed on or before July 1st, 1916, and that all wires between said points on Central street shall hereafter be placed under ground, in accordance with such rules and regulations as shall be prescribed by the highway committee of said Franklin, with adequate provision made for installing by the city of such wires in the future as may be necessary for municipal purposes.

2. That the regulations now in force in said city relative to the erection of square poles by telephone and other companies, as adopted by said city, May 13, 1901, be and the same are hereby revoked as of July 1st, 1916, and that telephone and other companies on and after July 1st, 1916, may erect round, straight and painted poles on any street in said Franklin, other than on Cen-

tral street between Daniell bridge so-called, and Sanborn bridge so-called, provided, such poles proposed to be erected and the location of the same, shall first meet with the written approval of the highway committee, said written approval to be filed with the City Clerk of said Franklin.

3. That the maintenance of United States mail boxes and fire alarm boxes are exempt from the provisions of the regulations hereinbefore set forth.

4. That this report shall be printed annually in the City Reports.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH M. LORDEN,  
ALVIN C. GILMAN,  
P. J. CUNNINGHAM,

Committee on Street Lighting.

Approved,

D. E. DAVIS, *Mayor*.

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### **An Ordinance Relating to Unloading and Loading Vehicles Near the Underpass on South Main Street.**

In the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

*Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for the driver of any motor truck or other vehicle to stop and unload or reload any part of his load within the limits of the highway within fifty feet on either side of the underpass on South Main Street in this city.

Section 2. Any person violating this ordinance shall be liable to a fine not exceeding ten dollars.

Passed May 7, 1923.

Approved,

L. H. DOUPHINETT, *Mayor*.



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### **An Ordinance Relating to the Erection of Signs and Advertisements.**

In the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

*Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

Section 1. No person shall place, establish or maintain any sign or advertisement, over any part of any street, lane, alley, or sidewalk, without first having obtained a permit therefor from the City Council and Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

Section 2. Such sign or advertisement shall be safely and securely fixed and supported; shall not project over the sidewalk more than two (2) feet, and the owner shall assume all risks to the public caused by such signs.

Section 3. Persons applying for a permit to erect a sign or advertisement shall state its size and weight, the nature of the material of which it is to be constructed and the manner in which it is to be supported.

Section 4. Any person or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

Section 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed April 7, 1924.

Approved, L. H. DOUPHINETT, *Mayor*.

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### **An Ordinance Relating to the Regulation of Street Traffic.**

*Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Franklin, as follows:*

#### **ARTICLE I.**

##### **Definitions.**

Section 1. The word "vehicle" herein shall include horses hitched to vehicles, horses ridden or led, motor

vehicles of all kinds, bicycles, and everything on wheels or runners excepting light carriages for the conveyance of children.

Section 2. The word "horse" herein shall include all domestic animals.

Section 3. The word "driver" herein shall include the rider, driver or leader of a horse, the rider of wheels and the operator of motor vehicles.

Section 4. The word "curb" herein shall mean the lateral boundaries of that portion of a street designated for the use of vehicles whether marked by curb stone or not so marked.

Section 5. The words "intersecting way" herein shall mean any way which joins another at an angle whether or not it crosses the other.

Section 6. The word "crossing" herein shall mean a way for pedestrians to go from one side of a street to the other which is marked by a pavement or otherwise; also points bordering the intersection of street not marked but which are commonly used to go from one side of a street to the other.

## ARTICLE II.

### Vehicles in Motion.

Section 1. A vehicle, except when passing a vehicle ahead, shall keep to the right and as near the right curb as possible.

Section 2. Vehicles meeting shall pass each other to the right.

Section 3. A vehicle overtaking another vehicle shall, in passing, keep to the left, but it shall not leave the line on the right unless there is a clear way to advance on the left.

Section 4. A vehicle turning to the right into another street shall turn the corner as near to the curb as possible.

Section 5. A vehicle turning to the left into another street shall pass to the right of and beyond the center of the intersection of the street before turning.

Section 6. A vehicle crossing from one side of the street to the other shall do so by turning to the left so as to head in the same direction as the traffic on that side of the street.

Section 7. Slow moving vehicles shall keep as close as possible to the curb on the right so as to allow fast moving vehicles free passage on the left.

Section 8. No driver of a vehicle shall allow the same to come within ten feet of any vehicle in front of him when approaching and passing over a crossing.

Section 9. The driver of any vehicle, before turning the corner of any street or turning out or starting from or stopping at the curb line of any street, shall first see that there is sufficient space free from other vehicles so that such turn, stop or start may be made safely, and shall then give a plainly visible or audible signal.

Section 10. Every bicycle operated during the period of one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise shall display one lighted lamp on the front.

### ARTICLE III.

#### Signals, Noises, Smoke and Traffic Signs.

Section 1. Every driver of a vehicle shall, in slowing up, stopping, or backing, give a plainly visible or audible signal to show his intention.

Section 2. In turning while in motion or in starting to turn from a standstill, a signal shall be given by the driver of the vehicle about to be turned by raising a whip or hand indicating the direction in which the turn is to be made.

Section 3. The police department shall control all traffic in the streets or highways. Police officers may divert vehicular or pedestrian traffic when necessary to avoid congestion or to promote safety and convenience; and no person having charge of a vehicle shall refuse or neglect to stop or start or place the same as directed by a police officer.

Section 4. No person shall break, deface, or move any official sign, post sign, post or signal device placed in a highway for direction of traffic.

## ARTICLE IV.

**Stopping, Standing and Turning.**

Section 1. No vehicle shall stop so as to interfere with or prevent the passing of pedestrians at crossings.

Section 2. On Central Street, between Memorial street and Prospect street, motor vehicles must park at an angle of about forty-five degrees or in accordance with the markings on the surface of the highway. On Franklin street between Central street and School street and on Memorial street and Smith street and on Central street between Memorial street and Main street, motor vehicles shall park with both right wheels close to the curb. The City Marshal under the supervision of the highway committee may have lines drawn on the surface of the highway and have suitable signs erected for the direction of traffic.

Section 3. No vehicle shall stand within the intersection of a street nor within five feet of a fire hydrant nor within ten feet of a street curb corner.

Section 4. Unless in an emergency, or to allow another vehicle to cross its path, no vehicle shall stop in any public street except close to the curb line.

Section 5. When a horse drawn vehicle is backed up to the curb, the horse or horses shall be turned so as to stand as near parallel with the sidewalk as possible and headed in the general direction of traffic for the side of the street on which the vehicle is standing.

Section 6. No vehicle incapable of being turned without backing shall be turned about in any of the following streets: Central street between Prospect street and River street, Franklin street between Central street and School street, Main street between Depot street and Webster street and Smith and Memorial streets.

Section 7. No horse or vehicle shall be driven back or allowed to stand on any sidewalk.

Section 8. No vehicle carrying passengers or merchandise for hire shall park on Central street between Memorial and Prospect street nor on Franklin street between Central street and Church street longer than

necessary to discharge and take passengers or load or unload merchandise. The City Marshal may assign such vehicle parking stations for their exclusive use.

## ARTICLE V.

### Right of Way.

Section 1. Police, Fire Department, United States Mail Vehicles, Ambulances, Funeral Processions and Emergency Repair Vehicles of Public Service Corporations shall have the right of way in any street.

Section 2. A person driving or controlling a vehicle waiting at the curb shall promptly give place to a vehicle about to take on or let off passengers.

Section 3. The driver of a vehicle, on approach of fire apparatus, shall immediately draw up said vehicle as near as practicable to the right hand curb and parallel thereto, and bring it to a stand still.

## ARTICLE VI.

### Stealing Rides.

Section 1. No person shall steal a ride upon any vehicle and no person shall ride upon the rear of any vehicle without the consent of the person in charge thereof.

## ARTICLE VII.

### Penalties for Violation.

Section 1. Any person violating any of the provisions herein contained shall be liable to a penalty not to exceed ten dollars for first offense, or not to exceed twenty dollars for any subsequent offense.

Section 2. Complaints against any person violating any of the provisions herein contained may be made at police headquarters or to any police officer. Copies of this ordinance may be obtained at police headquarters.

Section 3. The City Marshal may suspend any of these rules at any time if in his judgment it is wise to do so for the safety and convenience of the public.

## ARTICLE VIII.

**Previous Ordinances Repealed.**

Section 1. All ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect on passage.

Passed July 7, 1924.

Approved, L. H. DOUPHINETT, *Mayor*.

Attest: IRVING V. GOSS, *City Clerk*.

## ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT.

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To the Mayor and Council of the City of Franklin:

I have carefully examined and verified the accounts of the City Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Board of Water Commissioners, Superintendent of Water Works, Board of Education, Overseer of the Poor, Park Commissioners, Trustees of the Trust Funds of the City of Franklin, and the Clerk of the Court for the year 1925, and find the same correctly cast with proper vouchers corresponding to the expenditures and all receipts properly accounted for and find the following balances to the credit of the City:

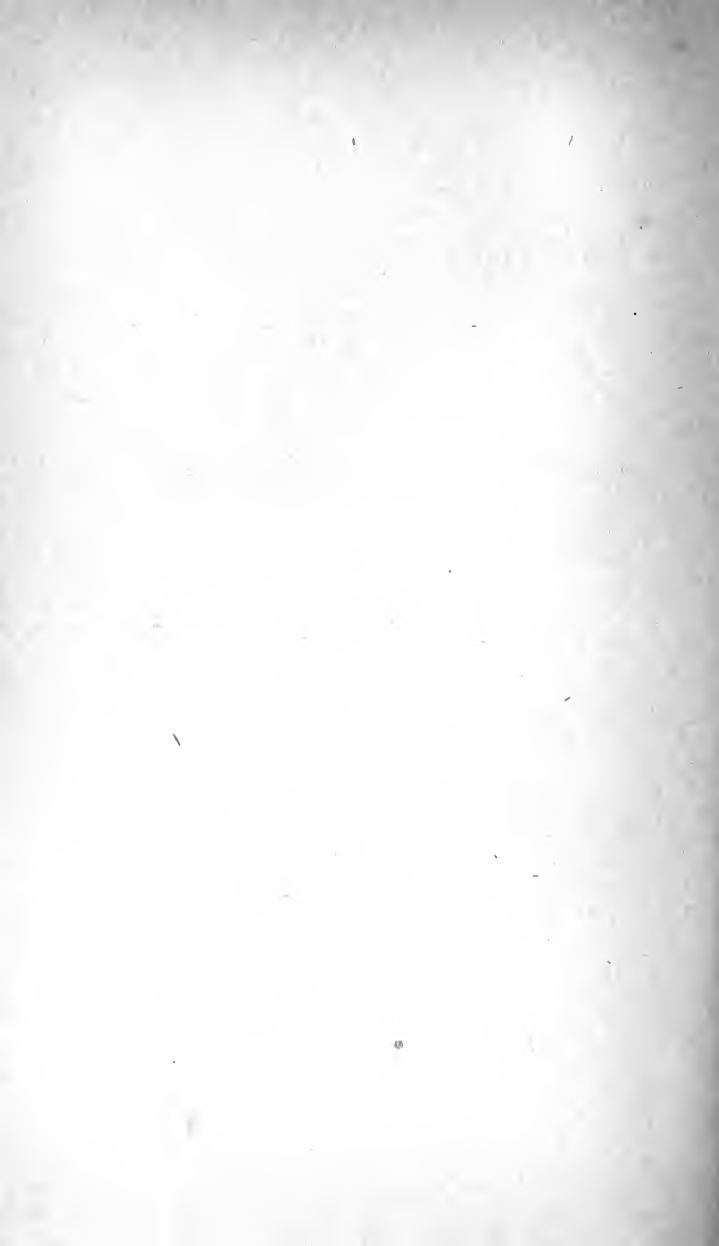
### Statement.

Treasurer .....	\$8,383 19
Water Commissioners .....	6,808 36
Board of Education .....	42 49
Park Commission in Savings Bank.....	4,093 62
Park Commission, Cash on Hand.....	180 07

### Trustees of Trust Funds of the City of Franklin.

Cemetery Trust Funds.....	\$32,276 00
Davison Bonds .....	2,000,00
Interest Balance on Hand, Savings Bank, December 31, 1925.....	3,836 51
Mary J. Colby, Ransom F. Evans and Frank H. Chapman Funds .....	15,000 00
Cash on Hand .....	305 39
Due on 1923 Tax List .....	237 88
Due on 1924 Tax List.....	1,255 20
Due on 1925 Tax List.....	11,711 45
Due from the State of New Hampshire.....	10,692 62

HOWARD T. KIDDER, Auditor.





## VITAL STATISTICS

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TO THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRANKLIN: In compliance with an Act of the Legislature, passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities, to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the town officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

## BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male	Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.						
Jan 8	Franklin	Marie M. A. Therien	..	..	Living	3	Charles Therien	White	F	Spinner	Biddeford, Me.	Canada
10		Olga Mathaisel	..	..	..	5	Rudolph Mathaisel	..	..	Weaver	Poland	Poland
13		Eugene A. Ridlon	..	..	..	3	Fred P. Ridlon	..	..	Chaufeur	East Andover	East Andover
17		Albert F. Lessard	..	..	..	8	Philippe Lessard	..	..	Iron moulder	Canada	Canada
17		Frank G. Bonk	..	..	..	4	William Bonk	..	..	Mill operative	Poland	Poland
18		Loda L. Pastuszcak	..	..	..	7	Mike Pastuszcak	..	..	"	"	"
19		Clifford M. Wheeler	..	..	..	3	Maurice P. Wheeler	..	H	Clerk	Sanbornton	Hill
20		Bertrand E. Duhamel	..	..	..	1	Bertrand E. Duhamel	..	F	Plumber	Woonsocket, R. I.	Franklin
20		Lionel H. Beaupre	..	..	..	2	Herve Beaupre	..	..	Brass moulder	Canada	"
22		Phyllis M. Beaupre	..	..	..	1	Henry Beaupre	..	..	Waver	Ashland	Indiana
23		Irene M. Fredette	..	..	..	3	Francis Fredette	..	..	Mill operative	Canada	Greece
25		Edgar Hill	..	..	..	1	Lillian Churas	..	..	Farmer	Franklin	Springfield, Mass
25		James W. King	..	..	..	1	Clarence Hill	..	T	Chaufeur	Tilton	Concord
Feb 1		Richard A. Gould	..	..	..	1	James W. King	..	A	Teamster	Andover	Vermont
1		Richard Wade	..	..	..	1	George D. Gould	..	N	"	Ireland	Ireland
5		Richard Curran	..	..	..	1	Archie Wade	..	F	Mill operative	Canada	Canada
6		Roland M. Dube	..	..	..	1	Patrick Curran	..	..	Spinner	Washington, Vt.	Franklin
9		Mildred J. McCarthy	..	..	..	3	James P. McCarthy	..	..	Nec. engineer	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Franklin
10		Pauline L. Hebert	..	..	..	1	Arthur J. Hebert	..	..	Mechanic	Tilton	Laconia
11		Wm. M. Lawrence	..	..	..	2	Oakes K. Lawrence	..	T	Hardware dealer	Canada	Tilton
12		Annette L. Proulx	..	..	..	6	Maxime Proulx	..	F	Grocer	Canada	Rochester
12		Joseph R. H. Donovon	..	..	..	5	Herbert Donovon	..	..	Weaver	England	Canada

Residence of Parents F—Franklin H—Hill T—Tilton A—Allston, Mass. N—Northfield

Residence of Parents	F—Franklin	S—Saubornuton	A—Andover	B—Bristol	X—W. Rumney	White		F	Paper maker	Franklin	Boscawen
						Living	White				
Feb 15	Vernie J. Cosette	4	Alb rt J. Cosette	Minnie Burnor				S	Farmer	Saubornuton	Canada
16	Marie E. T. Claretier	2	Alfred Claretier	Florence Cote				F	Mill op-rative	Poland	Poland
17	William J. Sokol	7	Joseph Sokol	Victoria Vuczag				F	Electrician	N-w Jersey	Tilton
18	Priscilla J. Noyes	2	W. L. Noyes	Bernice Moulton					Mill operative	Poland	Poland
21	Martin Silva	3	Martin Silva	Helen Lasak						Greece	Greece
21	Ernest D. Barry	4	Daniel J. Barry	Dora Costa					Moulder	Canada	Canada
22	Victoria V. Beaupre	1	Eugene F. Beaupre	Annie Cote					Mechanic	Concord	Franklin
22	William F. Smart	4	William F. Smart	Catherine Roach					Mill operative	Canada	Canada
28	George J. H. Gallard	2	Roger Gallard	Rachel Poisson					Plumber	France	Franklin
2	Doris P. Streeter	1	Martin H. Streeter	Neva A. Royder				A	Ham Shop	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Andover
2	Roberta B. Smith	1	Wallace R. Smith	Hazel B. Sweet				B	Wood worker	Danvers, Mass.	Saubornuton
3	Rodney T. Allard	1	Louis E. Allard	Susan Housen				F	Pool room owner	Franklin	Canada
6	William E. Nowell	1	James C. Nowell	Alexina Gravison					Real estate, Ins.	Grafton	Enfield
7	Richard A. Powell	4	Roy W. Powell	Minnie R. Kidder					Moulder	Worcester, Mass.	
10	Walter J. Beaupre	1	Walter Beaupre	Daphne Young					Baker	Canada	Canada
11	Marie A. Lemire	4	Eusebe Lemire	Yvonne Gauthier					Mechanic	New Boston	Danbury
12	Marion G. Leach	4	Hartan Leach	C. Hazel Wescott					Knitter	Franklin	Wilton
18	Gerald A. Keating	3	Thomas Keating	Bertha Welters					Pap r maker	"	Alexandria
23	Phyllis A. Durgin	1	Louis G. Durgin	Margaret Jondro					Weaver	Canada	Canada
24	Rachelle Legare	1	Charles Legare	Laura Routhier					Mill operative	Poland	Poland
26	Novij	2	Martin Novaj	Mary Gurak						"	"
26	Novaj	3	"	"					Pump maker	Hebron	Meredit
27	Doris A. Perry	2	John J. Perry	Helen A. Hopkins					Mill operative	Canada	Franklin
30	Robert Lavoie	3	Anthone Lavoie	Alex na Lasante					"	Canada	Canada
31	Joseph R. Clarest	3	Anne Clarest	Aurore Labrie					Machinist	Virginia	No thfield
2	Ruth E. Puffinburger	2	Mark Puffinburger	Violet E. Smith					Mill operative	Tilton	Turkey
4	Olga Stavros	4	Alex Stavros	Katherine Joseph				T	Farmer	Canada	Providence, R. I.
12	Clarence Sayward	5	Everett V. Sayward	Marion Tipple				F	Spin r	"	Canada
12	Armand Lemire	3	Nestor B. Lemire	Maria Lavoie					Mechanic	Wisconsin	Franklin
14	Richard E. Maltais	2	Edward J. Maltais	Marquet Miller					Printer	Montpelier, Vt.	
20	Norman J. Lamb	3	Harold W. Lamb	Marlon A. Bean				N	Station agent	Ossipee	Pittsfield
23	Thelma E. Verrill	3	Arthur L. Verrill	Bessie A. Kelley				F	Laborer	Franklin	Bristol
25	Jan s F. Merrill	6	Robert M. Merrill	Lillian Wheeler					Printer	Poland	Boscawen
26	Richard S. Piper	1	Frederick M. Piper	Margaret Sewell					Store manager	Ashuelot	Wentworth
26	Roger C. Hebert	3	Stephen J. Hebert	Edith Colburn					Carpenter	Franklin	East Andover
27	Emerson	6	George Emerson	Bernice Robie					Chauffeur	Canada	Canada
27	Rita M. Marceau	3	Arthur Marceau	Rosa Montambeault					Painter	Lacoula	Shoreham, Vt.
30	Ruby J. Nadeau	8	Ernest Nadeau	Corra Cline							
Residence of Parents						White					
						Living	White				

Mar.

Apr.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (If any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male	Female	Living or Stillborn							
May 2	Ellen Chalmers	Robert B. Chalmers			2	Robert B. Chalmers	Marjorie Moses	White	T	Lt. & Power Co.	Wisconsin	Tilton
7	Julia A. LaRoche	Albert LaRoche			3	Albert LaRoche	Dora Lablanc		F	Electrician	Canada	Canada
10	Gertrude B. Dubla	Frank A. Dubla			3	Frank A. Dubla	Annie Weeks		N	Painter	Bethel, Vt	Sanbornton
10	Joseph R. Prince	Henri Prince			9	Henri Prince	Eva St. Louis		N	Mill operative	Fall River, Mass.	Canada
10	Dorothy A. Call	Murray S. Call			3	Murray S. Call	Elizabeth Barnaby		F	Mill operative	New London	Nova Scotia
19	† Ella Austin	Valentine M. Austin			1	Valentine M. Austin	Mabel Sargent		G	Blacksmith	Canada	Grafton
19	Harold J. Unwin	Mylo J. Unwin			1	Mylo J. Unwin	Eva Morey		F	Truckman	Franklin	Mylo
25	Gordon A. Burleigh	Artemas T. Burleigh			2	Artemas T. Burleigh	Gladys Goodell		F	Farmer	Canada	Wisconsin
27	Lloyd J. Pierce	Claud G. Pierce			2	Claud G. Pierce	Evelyn Symonds		..	Restaurant Prop.	Canada	Concord
27	Robert Lemire	Napoleon Lemire			2	Napoleon Lemire	Marla Laplante		..	Spinner	Canada	Canada
29	Ruth E. Rayno	Wilfred Rayno			2	Wilfred Rayno	Florence Smith		..	R.R. Mechanic	Franklin	Walpole
June 2	Iva M. Sanderson	Donald Sanderson			1	Donald Sanderson	Meiba A. Brock		..	Student	Franklin	Tilton
5	Robert Sheehan	John Sheehan			3	John Sheehan	May Auger		..	Carpenter	Baltimore, Md.	Sanbornton
6	Laurient	Francis Laurient			5	Francis Laurient	Albina Petelle		..		Lebanon	Northfield
10	Charles J. Merrill	Charles J. Merrill			1	Charles J. Merrill	Mary Clark		B	Lineman	Swanton, Vt.	Swanton
14	Verne A. Mack	Adolphus Mack			3	Adolphus Mack	Doris Houghton		F	Paper maker	Keene	Walpole
17	Pansy F. Hoyt	Franklin D. Hoyt			3	Franklin D. Hoyt	Carrie Keniston		..	R.R. Mechanic	Canada	Andover
18	Madeline N. Cannon	Walter J. Cannon			1	Walter J. Cannon	Julia Loyole		..	Mail carrier	N. Hartland, Vt.	Canada
23	June E. Downing	Maillard Downing			1	Maillard Downing	Mary Rego		..	Mill operative	Tilton	Franklin
23	Marie L. B. H. Deshaies	Lucien Deshaies			4	Lucien Deshaies	Alice Brown		..	Laborer	Canada	Canada
25	Ernest J. Yeo	Thomas Yeo			9	Thomas Yeo	Gertrude Welters		..	Barber	New Foundland	England
29	Ernest W. Keniston	Ernest Keniston			2	Ernest Keniston	Eugenie Merrill		..	Barber	Andover	Bridgeton
July 1	Armand J. St. Louis	George St. Louis			1	George St. Louis	Lydia Parenteau		..	Mill operative	Manchester	Franklin
2	Marcel H. J. Hebert	Henri Hebert			2	Henri Hebert	Katie Banfield		..	Laborer	New Hampton	Canada
3	Henry W. Hutchison	Walter Hutchison			3	Walter Hutchison	Agnes Cunningham		..	Laborer	Franklin	Concord
3	Honora A. Schlesinger	Albert Schlesinger			4	Albert Schlesinger	Jennie Jondro		..	Machinist	"	Franklin
3	Elizabeth R. Fielders	Ervin Fielders			1	Ervin Fielders	Carolyn Kulacz		..	Laundry man	Poland	Alexandria
7	Walter Pilzga	Peter Pilzga			2	Peter Pilzga	Anna Robillard		..	Farmer	Westfield, Vt.	Poland
9	Lillian Lafrance	Pierre Lafrance			12	Pierre Lafrance	Agnes Gut		..	Mill operative	Poland	Nashua
15	Sciborek	Felix Sciborek			3	Felix Sciborek	Agnes Gut		..	Mill operative	Poland	Poland

† Stillborn

B—Boscawen

F—Franklin

N—Northfield

T—Tilton

Residence of Parents

July 16	Raymond J. Glines	4	Silas J. Glines	Agnes Martel	F	Paper maker	Bristol	Amesbury, Mass.
20	Marie L. Jeanson	1	Leodora Jeanson	Alphonse StLouis	..	Laborer	Canada	Canada
22	Fauline I. Gignac	7	Wilfred Gignac	Eva Andit	..	Moulder	Franklin	Laconia
22	Stelewicz	1	Bronislaw Stelewicz	Ludwika	..	Weaver	Poland	Poland
24	Stepben Buczynski	11	Mike Buczynski	Kate Biegziel	..	Mill operative	Canada	Greenville
27	Robert A. Mercier	1	Edgar Mercier	Deneige Bosselalt	..	Plumber	Franklin	Franklin
27	Beatrice T. Thibeault	2	Lucien Thibeault	Kvelyn Hebert	..	Lumber dealer	Hillsboro	Franklin
30	Bush	1	Charles H. Bush	Pauline Kidder	..	Weaver	Canada	Canada
Aug 1	Robert W. Routhier	2	Wilfred Routhier	Leon e Roy	..	Laborer	"	Suncook
3	Lawrence N. Dion	2	Hector Dion	Eva Giroux	..	Mill operative	"	"
8	Joseph A. Davison	7	Adelard Davison	Eugenie Champaux	..	Carpenter	Sanbornton	Livermore Falls
12	Robert D. Lavoie	3	Charles Lavoie	Winnifred Cutler	..	Paper maker	New Hamp.	Hill
13	Robert W. Brown	3	Ivan L. Brown	Mildred Stearns	S	Lawyer	Canada	Franklin
13	Wm. Stearns Wright	1	Robert M. Wright	Clara M. Bennett	F	Express agent	New Hamp.	Canada
19	†Lora B. Colby	1	O. E. Colby	Adela Mercier	S	Laborer	Canada	Mass.
23	Normand N. StCyr	5	George StCyr	Theodora Mortensen	D	Merchant	Salisbury	Littleton
26	Virginia M. Currier	1	Leland W. Currier	Elsie V. Richardson	X	Truckman	Grafton	Canada
27	Edward F. Richardson	1	Corence N. Richardson	Nora Morrill	G	Weaver	Canada	Danbury
30	Celia A. Davis	13	Clifton Davis	Anna Caulx	F	Mechanic	Lacola	Belmont
Sept 1	Alice M. O. Aube	2	Frank Goss	Lillian Braley	T	Paper maker	Poland	Somersworth
7	Willard A. Goss	2	Clayton Story	Ellen Beaupre	F	Knitter	Bristol	Canada
7	Louise Story	2	George H. Perry	Alexina Bushey	..	Truck driver	Canada	"
8	Gladys P. Perry	3	Albert Pikor	Rose Therrien	..	Knitter	Walcott, Vt.	Somersworth
13	Albert Pikor	4	Harry E. Hazeltine	Beatrice Ballou	..	Painter	England	Franklin
13	Marion L. Hazeltine	1	Eugene Jeanson	Gratia Drumiere	..	Weaver	Poland	Lakeport
14	Jeanette Jeanson	4	Eddie Allen	Aimee Roy	..	Paluter	Canada	Cambridge, Mass.
15	Henri L. Allen	1	Albert Lalberte	Emilia Dumais	..	Truck driver	Bristol	Canada
16	Albert Lalberte	1	Stacey O. Daigneau	Florence Sargent	..	Mill operative	New Hamp.	Franklin
16	Rachel A. Daigneau	8	James P. Frankland	Neva Glines	..	Shipper	Canada	Maine
16	Helen L. Frankland	3	Marion Sakowski	Victoria Bulos	..	Salesman	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
20	John Sakowski	6	Sherman F. Ring	Mary Vining	..			
25	Albridge F. Ring	1	Charles B. Lowell	Marion Astbury	..			
27	Virginia M. Lowell	3	Morris C. Dodge	Annie Heath	T			
28	Morris C. Dodge, Jr.	1	Harold E. Duntion	Inza Knowles	F			
28	Harold E. Duntion	2	Harry Sawyer	Lillian Dustin				
29	Sawyer							

Residence of Parents F—Franklin S—Sanbornton D—Danbury X—Salsbury G—Grafton T—Tilton †Stillborn

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male	Female	Living or No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.							
Oct	2	Richard E. Kelley Jr.	..	..	1	Richard E. Kelley	Ruth A. Morrill	White	F	Machinist	Fawtucket, R. I.	Franklin Mass.
	11	Calvin C. Follansbee	..	..	2	Harold J. Follansbee	Lillian Ball	White	F	Storekeeper	New Hamp.	Franklin
	12	Norman I. Cheney	..	..	3	Charles L. Cheney	Lorena A. Sargent	White	F	Paper maker	Franklin	Franklin
	13	Joseph A. Bergeron	..	..	1	Albert Bergeron	Alma Pirou	White	..	Auto driver	Canada	Rumford Falls Me.
	14	Wm. Rollins	..	..	5	Byron H. Rollins	Rena E. Kimball	White	..	Farmer	"	Franklin
	15	Marcel J. Carignan	..	..	6	Alfred Carignan	Juliette Thibeault	White	..	Laborer	"	Canada
	17	Robert N. Montambault	..	..	3	Azarie Montambault	Annette St Cyr	White	..	Auto driver	"	"
	24	Delphine L. Fadden	..	..	4	Roscoe E. Fadden	Clara E. Wentworth	White	..	Carpenter	Carlisle, Mass.	Danbury
	25	Gloria M. Wescott	..	..	1	Ray W. Wescott	Amanda Sylvestre	White	..	Laborer	Franklin	Canada
	26	Frederick C. Plante	..	..	5	Edward J. Plante	Alice M. G'Inan	White	..	Boiler maker	Franklin	Tilton
Nov	29	Richard W. Woodward	..	..	6	Clarence Woodward	Isadore Tilton	White	..	Electrician	New York City	Franklin
	29	Charles D. Tracy	..	..	6	William Tracy	Twila Emerson	White	..	Mechanic	Bellevue Falls, Vt.	Canada
	2	Lucille R. Hebert	..	..	5	Harry Hebert	Mathilda Gagne	White	..	Saw maker	Tamworth	Franklin
	3	Barbara G. Gilman	..	..	1	Ernest Gilman	Marion Bagley	White	..	Farmer	Boscawen	Mass.
	4	Kenneth E. Folsom	..	..	2	Hervey Folsom	Ruth Carlson	White	X	Mill operative	Canada	Canada
	5	Jean W. L. Trachy	..	..	4	Antonio Trachy	Atoine Larichelle	White	F	Mill operative	Danbury	Franklin
	10	Ernest W. Wentworth	..	..	1	Merrill W. Wentworth	Florence Stevens	White	..	Pulp maker	New Hampton	Canada
	11	Catharine R. Ewens	..	..	2	Howard Ewens	Paul Daigneault	White	..	Weaver	Canada	Canada
	22	Marie J. N. Morency	..	..	4	Octave Morency	Emilie St Pierre	White	..	Paper maker	Cullin, N. Y.	Franklin
	22	Vera M. Barney	..	..	2	Edwin Barney	Ruth Franklin	White	..	Laborer	St. Johnsbury Vt.	Keene
Dec	23	Richard A. Goyette	..	..	1	Albert Goyette	Irene Lasante	White	N	P. O. Clerk	Acworth	Albania
	25	Lois Ann Howe	..	..	3	Herbert E. Howe	Barbara Joseph	White	F	Physician	Lebanon	Torner's Falls Ms.
	25	Shenelares	..	..	4	Fluencios Shenelares	Ethel M. Everett	White	N	Stocking boarder	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
	25	Dorothy Woodman	..	..	3	James B. Woodman	Lena Murray	White	..	Laborer	Canada	Cambridge, Mass
	27	Allhea A. Root	..	..	4	Alex Root	Mary Buffington	White	..	Mill operative	Franklin	Vernont
	27	Matie A. Morrisette	..	..	2	Horace Morrisette	Kathryn Wright	White	..	Laborer	Franklin	England
	28	Esther J. Colby	..	..	1	John R. Colby	Alice Lees	White	..			
	28	Edward A. Wescott	..	..	3	Leland Wescott		White	..			

Residence of Parents      F—Franklin      B—Bristol      N—Northfield      X—Boscawen

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female	Living or Stillborn							
Dec 1	Bernard H. Williams	..	..	2	Maynard Williams	Jessie H. Robinson	White	F	Paper maker	Maine	Franklin
1	Donal L. Gray	..	..	2	Fred W. Gray	Cynthia Ash	White	..	Carpenter	Worcester, Mass	Canada
9	Alfred Thibeault	..	..	4	Charles E. Thibeault	Clara Piche	White	..	Chanfeur	Canada	Canada
10	Peters	..	..	4	Nick Peters	Frosa Theodo	White	..	Mill operative	Albania	Albania
12	Carlene N. Jones	..	..	1	Aubrey Jones	Margaret Foster	White	H	Electrician	Canada	Franklin
14	Joseph Landry	..	..	4	Francis Landry	Johanna Cunningham	White	F	Stocking boarder	Franklin	Franklin
21	Gaston F. Forest	..	..	9	Falda Forest	Ophelia Richard	White	..	Mill operative	Canada	Canada
25	Philip R. Clark	..	..	8	Philip Clark	Evelyn Bourdeau	White	..	Laborer	Middlebury, Vt.	Franklin
28	Reginald Leblanc	..	..	1	Leon Lablanc	Grazielle Magnan	White	..	Painter	Canada	Canada
28	Fay E. Ring	..	..	9	Elison E. Ring	Gertrude Haggett	White	..	Laborer	Franklin	Northfield
29	Roland Therien	..	..	8	Donat Therien	Hermine Houle	White	..	Spinner	Canada	Canada
30	Maurice H. Hebert	..	..	8	Philippe Hebert	Rose A. Bergeron	White	..	..	Bellevue Falls, Vt.	..
June 27	Robert E. Harbour	..	..	8	Joseph Harbour	Hazel Davis	White	N	Truckman	Canada	Tilton

Residence of Parents F—Franklin H—Hill N—Northfield

# MARRIAGES

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom & Bride	Place of Birth of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Condition, No.	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 10	Franklin	Ervin A. Fielders Jennie L. Jondro	Franklin Alexandria	25 16		Laundry man At home	Franklin Alexandria	Arthur G. Fielders Elizabeth Harvey	New York Canada	Millwright Housewife	1 1	Rev. W. E. Cross Franklin
17	"	Frank N. Goss Lillian M. Braley	Franklin "	24 19		Cook Needlemaker	Salisbury Danbury	Lizzie Ackerman Calvin V. Goss Florence C. Cole Chester Braley Manie D. Braley	Alexandria Medford, Me. Bridgewater Alexandria Danbury	Housewife Carpenter Housewife Auto mech. Housewife	2 1	Rev. A. A. Richards Franklin
23	"	Roger M. Knox Florice M. Morrill	" "	22 22		Mech. Eng. Nurse	Sanbornston Franklin	Ned H. Knox Alice E. Flanders Otis B. Morrill Mary Griffin	Sanbornston New Hampton Wilnot Canada	Lumber dealer Housewife Prod'ction Eng Housewife	1 1	Rev. W. E. Cross Franklin
26	"	Ludovic L. Rousseau Edra L. Wheeler	" "	21 19	White	Mill operative Nurse maid	Franklin "	Alfred Rousseau Helen Durgin Edgar Wheeler Bertha Kirk	Canada Alburt, Vt. Orange Salisbury	Clerk Housewife Chaufeur Housewife	1 1	Rev. J. E. Finen Franklin
Feb. 2	"	Charles E. Lagare Nora A. Routhier	" "	30 28		Weaver Mill operative	Canada "	Arthur Lagare Leonia Roy Cyrille Routhier Sara Langevin	Canada " " "	Mill operative Housewife Farmer Housewife	1 1	Rev. J. E. Finen Franklin
16	"	Edgar J. Mercier Desneige Bossiat	" "	22 19		Teamster Mill operative	Canada Greenville	Gid-on Mercier Alvina Mercier John Bosslait Jennie Lablane	" " " "	Housewife Housewife Weaver Housewife	1 1	Rev. J. C. Lemelin Franklin
18	"	Charles E. Dean Gladys I. Merrill	" "	23 19		Clerk Mill operative	Franklin "	Alvin G. Dean Sadie B. Jackman Arthur G. Merrill Mary Morigan	Grafton Franklin Canada Norwalk, Ohio	Machinist Housewife Mill operative Housewife	1 1	Rev. J. C. Lemelin Franklin
24	Lyme	Philip M. Woodwell Virginia B. Sellers	Watertown, Mass Revere, Mass.	29 29		Teacher "	Bridgton, Me. Carlinville, Ill	Geo. M. Woodwell Harriet McIntire John Sellers Carrie Belcher	Canada Norwalk, Ohio York, Me. England Gofstowen	Minister Housewife Minister Hous wife	1 1	Rev. Geo. Woodwell Lyme



Apr. 11	Franklin	Fred H. Pettingill Etta M. Silsby	Franklin "	49 51	Mill operative Housekeeper	Salisbury Rutland, Vt.	Benjamin Pettingill Mary Stone Henry Nutting Violet Blanchard Silas P. Thompson Martha Colby John Laugby Catherine Cassidy Andrew King Amity Eliason Philip Vining Mary Lesage Frederick Beaupre Alvina Sanville John Wells Addie Lakin Asemie StLouis Mary Proulx Joseph Morrell Rene Boulterisse Del re Odette Gertrude Briggs John McManus Rose Kelly William Brown Clara Badney Ira W. Morrison Lorenda F. Smith Mary Passmore Arthur Blood Abbie Westcott Bert W. Lowell Etta Lord Aleston Astbury Mattie Davis Thomas Pentland Mary Besse Alexander Elliott Margaret Patterson	Salisbury Webster England Springfield Vt. Sauboruton Franklin Canada " " " " Nashua Canada " Concord Franklin Canada " Franklin Lewiston, Me. Wilmot Charlestown Salem, Mass.	Farmer Housewife Housewife Farmer Housewife Hotel keeper Housewife Farmer Housewife Laborer Housewife Prop. foundry Housewife Salesman Housewife Retired Housewife Carpenter Auto Mech. Housewife Shoemaker Housewife Laborer Housewife Plumber Housekeeper Needle-maker Housewife Fireman Housewife Farmer Housewife Hotel-keeper Housewife Housewife	2 2	Rev. W. E. Cross Franklin
12	Hill	Luther C. Thompson Ella R. Laugby	" "	44 44	Farmer Housekeeper	Salisbury Canada			1 1	Rev. J. M. McKenzie Hill	
13	Franklin	Sherman F. Ring Mary E. Doyle	" Tilton	49 29	Interior Dec. At home	Holyoke, Ms. Cambridge Ms.			2 2	Rev. A. A. Richards Franklin	
13	"	Ernest N. Beaupre Josephine Wells	Franklin "	23 18	Moulder Needle maker	Concord Franklin			1 1	Rev. J. R. O'Connor Franklin	
17	"	George StLouis Regina Morrell	" "	24 20	Laborer At home	Concord Saubornton			1 1	Rev. J. E. Finen Franklin	
27	Tilton	Charles P. Odette Lillian L. McManus	" Tilton	20 20	Automechanic Mill operative	Wilmot Lynn, Mass.			1 1	Rev. D. C. Twomey Manchester	
May 2	Concord	Charlie N. Brown Martha J. Giman	Franklin "	41 47	Teamster Housework	Windsor, Vt. Alexandria			2 2	Rev. W. C. Myers Concord	
9	Franklin	Chester F. Smith Lillian M. Blood	W. Somerville Franklin	31 22	Ass't Pur. Ag't At home	W. Somerville Conway			1 1	Rev. G. H. O'Donnell Franklin	
16	"	Charles B. Lowell Marion Bates	Franklin "	26 21	Truck driver At home	Bristol Canada			2 2	Rev. G. H. O'Donnell Franklin	
June 23	"	Roger B. Pentland Doris F. Harvey	" Nashua	27 22	Surveyor Hair dresser	Concord Melrose, Mass			1 2	Rev. A. A. Richards Franklin	

Date of Marriage

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June 25 Franklin	Rosario Robichaud Aurore Vigneault	Franklin	22 20	White	Knitter Seamer	Canada Franklin	Ernest Robichaud Elizabeth M'neubault Cyrille Vigneault	Canada " "	Retired Housewife Stone mason Housewife	1 1	Rev. J. R. O'Connor Franklin
27 Nashua	Vernon G. Piper Eva B. Connor	" "	22 30		Needlemaker "	" "	Leonard B. Piper Helen F. Hope Henry P. Nowell Eva M. Simonds	Meredith Boston, Mass. Bristol Roscawen	Needlemaker Housewife Teamster Housewife	1 2	Rev. Earl F. Nauss Nashua
29 Franklin	Wilfred D. Gaillardetz Eugenie Bossiatt	" "	25 23		Dresser Weaver	Harrisville Greenville	David Gaillardetz Zeanace Laroke John Bossiatt Eugenie Lablanc	" " " "	Dresser Housewife Weaver Housewife	1 1	Rev. John E. Finen Franklin
July 3 "	Claude M. Kelley Marion M. Page	" "	34 34		Needlemaker Housekeeper	East Andover Andover	Scott Kelley Cora Smith Henry Glines	Webster Salem, Mass. Salem, Mass.	Laborer Housewife Laborer	2 2	Rev. A. A. Richards Franklin
6 Laconia	Henry W. Fredette Elizabeth Turgeon	" Laconia	20 22	White	Weaver Seamer	Franklin "	Lucretia Pickette Magloire Fredette Alphonse Longevin Joseph Turgeon	Canada " " "	Housewife Weaver Housewife Teamster	1 1	Rev. J. F. Creeden Laconia
Franklin	Ernest J. Michaud Hazel A. Kirk	Franklin	23 23		Mill operative Office work	Clarendon Franklin	Mary Lafraniere William Michaud Zoe E. Bell Louis W. Kirk Lillian M. Johnson	" B'flows Falls Vt Franklin Canada "	Paper maker Housewife Electrical Eng. At home Farmer	1 1	Rev. J. R. O'Connor Franklin
14 "	Charles W. Auger Ellen R. Atkins	Sanbornton Franklin	27 25		Farmer Teacher	Sanbornton Franklin	James Auger Clara Cournoyer Wilbur F. Atkins Effin M. Young	" Craftsbury, Vt Mansfield Vt Island Pond Vt	Housewife Farmer Housewife Teamster	1 1	Rev. John E. Finen Franklin
15 "	Harry J. Lord Mary A. Derosier	" "	42 25		Laborer At home	Grafton Franklin	Josiah J. Lord Susan Bryant Moses Shepard	Howland, Vt. Franklin	Housewife Housewife Carpenter	1 2	Rev. A. A. Richards Franklin

Aug. 1	Franklin	Harry H. Warburton Avernal P. Tibbetts	Franklin "	33. 26	Laborer Needlemaker	Canada Lakeport	James H. Warburton Lillie Hall Guy A. Mathews Abbie Blaisdell	England "	Papermaker Housekeeper Laborer	1 Rev. W. E. Cross Franklin
1	Andover	John Hancock Caroline Haskell	" "	71 71	Carpenter Housewife	Franklin Salisbury	Harrison Hancock Adeline McConnell Moses Stevens Emily Call	Franklin Vermont Salisbury "	Farmer Housewife Farmer Ho. sewife	2 Rev. H. G. Ives Andover
3	Franklin	Charles Blanchette Bernadette Lavoie	" "	27 30	Mill operative "	Canada "	Joseph Blanchette Mary L. StLouis Jules Lavoie	Canada " "	Farmer Housewife Mill operative	1 Rev. J. R. O'Connor Franklin
3	Laconia	Harry R. Brooks Dora LaPierre	" Laconia	21 22	Electrician Needlemaker	Franklin Laconia	George C. Brooks Laura Landry George LaPierre Della Lessard	Ashland " Canada "	Union organizer Housewife M. P. Mgr. At home	1 Rev. C. S. Lacroix Laconia
15	Franklin	Francis Wetherell Beatrice M. Ryder	N. Falmouth Campello, Mass.	25 32	Plumber At home	N Falmouth Brockton, Ms.	Horace J. Wetherell Mary E. Hayward James E. Ryder Georgianna Jones	N Falmouth Canada Chatham, Mass Middleboro Ms	Housewife Vamper Housewife	1 Rev. C. B. Hansen Franklin
15	"	M. Clifford Edwards Marjorie E. Nevins	Franklin "	23 21	Wool Adjuster At home	Franklin "	William W. Edwards Marcella MacMasters Michael J. Nevius Julia M. Foskett	Streetville Ont. N Glasgow N.S. Jersey City N J Northfield, Ms	Mill Supt. Housewife Needle Mfg. Housewife	1 Rev. W. E. Cross Franklin
31	"	Emile Leroux Rose Lemire	" "	22 19	Knitter Mill operative	Canada Franklin	Ledger Leroux Rose Delima John Lemire	Canada " "	Farmer Housewife Mill operative	1 Rev. John E. Finen Franklin
Sept 1	Gardner Mass	Raymond E. Clark M. Agnes Fleming	" Gardner, Mass.	26 31	Mill operative Tel. operator	Franklin Gardner, Mass	Amie Tereault Patrick T. Clark Eliza Garrety Edward Fleming Margaret Tower	Lowell, Mass. Fairfield, Vt. Franklin Canada	Housewife Paper maker Housewife Silversmith	1 Rev. J. M. Burke Gardner, Mass
2	Franklin	Michael J. Doherty Mary K. Dion	Franklin "	51 42	Paper maker Bookkeeper	Ireland Canada	George Doherty Sarah McAllion Joseph Dion	Ireland Canada Canada	Farmer Housewife Retired	1 Rev. John E. Finen Franklin
7	"	Ernest A. Gauthier Beatrice E. Sorrette	" "	27 22	Knitter Mill operative	Franklin "	Joseph Gauthier Jeanne Garneau Napoleon Sorrette Jennie Rayno	" StJohnsbury Vt Canada Bow	Machineist Housewife R.R. Sec. Hand Housewife	1 Rev. John E. Finen Franklin

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Sept. 8	Franklin	Charles B. Dole Electa O. Fattee	Franklin	52 36		Teamster Mill operative	Franklin Saubornton	Jacob B. Dole Hattie Baker Charles W. Osgood Abby H. Danforth	Wilnot Bradford, Vt. Craftsbury, Vt. BillERICA, Ms. Canada	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife Physician	2 2	Rev. G. H. O'Donnell Franklin
28	"	J. August Perreault Ruth B. Morin	"	30 25		Postal clerk Seaman	Franklin "	Louis R. Perreault Marie Garneau John Morin Phyllis Landry	St. Johnsbury Vermont New Hamp Inchby, N. B. Woodstock, N. B.	Housewife Housewife Machinist Housewife Blacksmith	1 1	Rev. John E. Finen Franklin
30	"	Leland W. Smith Roberta M. Kilston	"	25 20		Mechanic Needlemaker	Woodstock, N. B. "	Samuel J. Smith Louise Dickerson Robert Ralston	"	Housewife Farmer	1 1	Rev. C. B. Hansen Franklin
Oct. 3	Bristol	Harry R. Day Grace Woodward	Franklin	28 18		" "	Bristol Andover	Agnes B. Whenman Ethan A. Day Eva B. Seavey Charles Woodward Marion Glines	Corinth, Vt. Andover Franklin Andover Canada	Housewife Laborer Laborer Housewife Teamster	1 1	Rev. C. W. Passey Bristol
5	Franklin	Philias P. Rousseau Albina Laplante	"	44 37	White	Salesman Mill operative	Franklin Canada	Pierre Rousseau Alvina Mascotte Joseph Sevigny Aurelie Carignan	" "	Housekeeper Retired	2 2	Rev. J. R. O'Connor Franklin
6	"	Clarence L. Wright Rosilda Chartrand	"	20 19		Shipper At home	E. Providence Fitchburg, Ms.	Daniel R. Wright Fannie M. Little Joseph Chartrand Josephine Valade John Forrest	Danielson Hill Canada	Housewife Fireman Housewife Weaver Housewife	1 1	Rev. A. A. Richards Franklin
26	"	Donat Forrest Veronica Masse	Franklin	25 22		Mill operative "	Canada "	Clarence Perreault Hermenegilde Masse Alma Morrisette	" "	Farmer Housewife Housewife	1 1	Rev. John E. Finen Franklin
26	Tilton	Ernest L. Astbury Viola B. Michaud	Tilton	21 20		Clerk Dressmaker	Franklin Hardwick, Vt.	John Astbury Daisy Flanders Oscar Michaud Ella Martell	Hill Alburg, Vt.	Housewife Needlemaker Stone cutter Weaver	1 1	Rev. W. H. Sweeney Tilton

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# DEATHS

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased			Age		Place of Birth	Sex, Condition			Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days	Male	Female		Color	Single, Married, Widowed	Father		Mother			
Jan 2	Franklin	Amie H. McCullis	67	6	11	N'wbury p't Ms	1	Housewife	Ireland	Franklin	Newbury p't Ms	Stephen Noyes	Frances M. Huse		
4		Ellen Keating	74			Ireland	3	Retired	Franklin		Ireland	Patrick Connors	Johanna Tobin		
5		John E. Fisher	55	1	4	Franklin	2	Stone cutler	Merideth		Franklin	Albert H. Fisher	Alice Clark		
6		David A. Piper	76	6	1	Merideth	3	Housewife	Marlboro, Ms.		Merideth	Dudley S. Piper	Eliza M. Shaw		
11		Irene A. Warburton	19	3	9	Newport	1	Retired	Bethlehem, C'n		Claremont	Joab Walker	Delia B. Kidhardt		
13		Augusta A. Adams	86	0	12	No. Stafford	3	Housewife	Poland		N. Hampton	Joseph A. Martin	Elvira Lyman		
15		Mary T. Miskiel	35	1	7	Poland	1	Housewife	Stowe, Vt.		Poland	John Weglowski	Hattie Minor		
Feb 2		Wade Curran				Franklin	2	Retired	Ireland		Ireland	Patrick Curran	Winifred Clossick		
5		William M'ingometry	86	11	24	England	1								
6		George S. Bennett	80	9	29	Vermont	3								
11		Henry Cline	65	10	20	Swanton, Vt.	1	Laborer	Canada		Canada	William Cline	Esther Berry		
13		Walter T. Hill	42	11	25	Sanbornton	1	Horse dealer	Sanbornton		Sanbornton	Fred I. Hill	Fidelia F. Weeks		
17		Marion L. Peters	49	3	7	Canada	1	Housewife	Bristol		Canada	Alfred Ballou	Lilipia White		
19		Hiram Hanscom	91	10	13	Holderness	3	Retired	Barnsted		England	Uriah Hanscom	M'hibble Tw'mb'y		
22		Emma Hayes	49	11	14	England	1		England			John Palfram	Annie E. Ward		
22		Priscilla H. Lindsey	79	8	20	Orington, Me.	4	Retired	Burlington, Vt.		Orington, Me.	William McCobb	Eliza Perry		
22		Minnie R. Miller	70	11	17		3	Housekeeper	Chester		Burlington, Vt.	Frank Plant	Rose Hunter		
25		George H. Pressey	68			Salisbury	2	Farmer	Hill		Danbury	John S. Pressey	Lydia M. Greeley		
Mar 27		Annie M. Keniston	52	6	7	Hill	1	Housewife			North Weare	Orin G. Colby	Georgia Woodbury		
1		Laura M. Page	52	6	7	Hill	1	Housewife	New London		Ch'riest'wn Ms	John L. Batchelder	Bernice L. Goss		
1		Rosamond Seamans	88	11	1	Chichester	3		W'sb'ngt'n, Vt		Franklin	D. Duub'r Scam'ns	Milfred L. Sargent		
4		Mildred J. McCarthy	2	4	1	Franklin	2		Maine		Enfield	Aaron Randall	Sarah Perkins		
5		Albert S. Randall	82	1	15	Center Harbor	3	Retired	Grafton		Enfield	Roy W. Powell	Minnie R. Kidder		
7		Richard A. Powell	77	1	24	Franklin	3	Farmer	Grafton		Boscawen	Thomas Kenney	Betsy Robie		
21		Theodore Kenney	64	10	14	Jefferson, Me.	2	Merchant	Grafton		Woodstock, Vt	Thomas R. Little	Carrie Hawkins		
23		Edward E. Tucker	39	10	18	Salisbury	1	Housewife	Salisbury		Ireland	John Sheehan	Honorab. Sheehan		
24		Lewis T. Little	6	8	5	Franklin	1	Housewife	Ireland			Alexandre Lavalle	Marie Royer		
24		Margaret T. Connor	60	2	26	Canada	1								
25		Adelle L. Mercier													
1	Married	2	Single	3	Widowed	4	Divorced								

Mar	26	Charles L. Alken	79	8	3	Franklin	..	..	Retired	Peterborough	Saco, Me.	Herrick Aiken	Ann M. Bradley
	30	Joseph T. Webster	53	10	17	Salisbury	..	..	Farmer	Salisbury	Andover	Sylvanus Webster	Joanna Bartlett
	31	Lucretia Glines	68	1	7	Peacham, Vt.	..	..	Housewife	England	Peacham, Vt.	William Pickett	Sarah Fields
	32	Lucy A. Marsh	90			Franklin	..	..	Housekeeper			George Cross	Mary Arlin
Apr	16	Horace F. Giles	81	22		Sanbornton	..	..	Retired		Monmouth, Me	Emerson Giles	Arelia Blake
	16	William H. Fenilason	64	721		Westley, Me.	..	..	Machinist	England	England	Wm. G. Bloomfield	Lucy Harthill
	12	William Bloomfield	80	211		England	..	..	Mason		Sanbornton	William Dyer	Sally Silver
	17	Samuel Dyer	82	114		Sanbornton	..	..	Retired			Charles Michel	
	14	Emilie Survis	85	10	13	Canada	..	..	"	Claremont		Levi Fisk	
	26	Frances A. Colby	81	8	10	Claremont	..	..	"	N Brookf'd Ms		Hiram Carruth	Mary Proctor
May	27	Florence Sanderson	78	527		N Brookf'd Ms	..	..	"	Franklin		Andrew Thompson	Eliza Perkins
	2	Silas P. Thompson	83	121		Franklin	..	..	Farmer	Andover		Ebenezer Currier	Betsy M. Lane
	3	Charles T. Currier	77	627		Danville	..	..	"				
	5	Addie Young	74	7	5	Orange	..	..	Housekeeper	Bridgeton, C'u	So. Danbury	Joseph W. Hope	Caroline Pierce
	8	Helen A. Piper	46	2	3	Boston	..	..	Housewife	Woburn, Mass	Ireland	Frank G. Barker	Julia Monahan
	9	Priscilla Barker	45	3	4	Danbury	..	..	Housewife	Franklin	Andover	Frank Morey	Mary Smalley
	10	Emma S. Mathews	57	4	15	Sutton	..	..	"	Connecticut	Connecticut	Geo. C. Emerson	Bernice Robie
	11	Arline M. Emerson	57	4	15	Sutton	..	..	Needlemaker	Canada	Franklin	W. H. Butler	Mary L. Kenison
	16	Henry C. Butler	45	10	24	Franklin	..	..	"	Franklin	Albion, Me.	Valentine Austin	Mabel Sargent
	18	Ella Austin	45	10	24	Franklin	..	..	"	Franklin	Franklin	Victor Anger	Sarah Fairfield
	26	Cora E. Conner	67	4	10	Franklin	..	..	"	Ireland	Bradford	Martin H. Streeter	Neva A. Royder
June	30	Mary E. M. Tucker	79	4	8	Loudon Ridge	..	..	Needlemaker	Plymouth	Newbury, Vt.	James Hawlborne	Kate Cook
	6	Harriet A. Blake	58	7	4	Albion, Me.	..	..	Housewife	England	England	Charles E. Smith	Marilda Adams
	15	Rose Anger	38			Albion, Me.	..	..	Housekeeper	Canada	Franklin	Henry Southwe l	Marguerite Daniels
	19	Doris P. Streeter	317			Franklin	..	..	"	New York	Franklin	Alphonse Lagace	Sarah Wild
July	25	Bessie Bickford	45	10	23	Peachcook	..	..	"	Plattsburg N Y	Vermont	George Demars	Germaine Tessier
	1	James Hawthorne	41	1	6	Franklin	..	..	Housewife	Ireland	Sweden	Carlton E. Morton	Hazel Sargent
	1	Norman D. Smith	22	6		England	..	..	Undertaker	Ireland	Ireland	John Cunningham	Mary Sullivan
	3	Emily S. Binks	64	6		Franklin	..	..	Retired	Sweden	Sweden	Eric Hoegstrom	Maria Vullen
	4	Henry J. Lagace	73	1		W'shingt'n Ms	..	..	"	Hillsboro	Franklin	Charles H. Bush	Pauline Kidder
	10	Carl D. Deshaies	9			Plainfield, Vt.	..	..	"	Canada	Canada	Adelard Davison	EmelinChampaux
	19	Carlton E. Morton	60	7	25	Franklin	..	..	"	Dunbarton	Franklin	Orrin E. Colby	Clara M. Bennett
	19	Martin E. Hoegstrom	83	11	13	Sweden	..	..	"	Franklin	Rumney	John S. Gould	Rebecca Smith
	21	John E. Bush	83	11	13	Franklin	..	..	"				
Aug	30	Joseph Davison	54	1	6	Franklin	..	..	Laborer				
	19	Lora B. Colby					..	..	"				
	26	Bert H. Goul					..	..	"				

1 Married 2 Single 3 Widowed 4 Divorced

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		Years	Months	Days		Male	Female	Color		Father	Mother		
Sept	Eugene Pivin	25	1	15	Canada	..	..	..	Printer	Canada	Canada	Alfred Pivin	Evelyn Bambaridin
	Marin R. Fleming	49	6	16	Chatham, N.Y.	..	..	..	Paper maker	Rackford, Ill.		William Fleming	
	Rock Martell	65	2	9	Canada	..	..	..	Laborer	Canada		Manuel Martell	
	Hazeline	76	11	18	Franklin	..	..	..	Manufacturer	Weare	Bristol	Harry Hazeltine	Beatrice Ballou
	Nelson M. Putney	52			Bratleboro Vt	..	..	..	Housewife	Winchester	Wilnot	Chase Putney	Miriam Buzzell
Oct.	Jennie M. Stevens	76	11	18	Concord	..	..	..	"	Winchester	Vergennes, Vt.	Willard Ripley	Josephine Cook
	Mrs. Frank Langley	49			Franklin	..	..	..	Horse dealer	Bennington	Brookfield, Vt.	Geo. Clifford	Hattie Harford
	Thomas Seabury	70	8	18	Piermont, N.Y.	..	..	..	Engineer	Rockland, Me.	Manchester	Harry Sawyer	Lillian Dustin
	William S. Flagg	32	6	5	Alexandria	..	..	..	Farmer	New York	Rockland, Me.	William Flagg	Cora Murphy
	Lyman T. Dearborn	79	6	17	Hill	..	..	..		Alexandria	Bristol	Luther Bailly	Elizabeth Sanborn
Nov.	Leonard F. Wise	88	8	17	Franklin	..	..	..		Hill	Hill	Selvin Dearborn	Flora D. Cass
	M. S. Lawrence	62	9	10	P. E. Island	..	..	..	Housewife	Everett, Mass.	Tilton	Edward Plant	Alice M. Gilman
	Susan K. Sulloway	82	7	26	Franklin	..	..	..	Laborer	Concord		Jeremiah Daniell	Annette Eastman
	Albert Hubert	75	4	3	Rouse's Pt, NY	..	..	..	Mason	Concord	Haverhill	Goin Thompson	Harriet Odway
	Albert H. Thompson	80	5	21	Concord	..	..	..	Housewife	Concord	Canada	Theodule Mercier	Adelle Lavalle
Dec	Helien M. Robichaud	72	11	14	Penacook	..	..	..	Housekeeper	Canada	Canada	Newell Hank	Melvin Sanville
	Nellie F. Hunt	72	11	14	Franklin	..	..	..	Retired	Canada	Canada	Frederick Beaupre	Marian Davis
	Arthur H. Beaupre	17	5	14	Andover	..	..	..	Housekeeper	Danbury	New London	Charles Crockett	Lydia Messer
	Abbie M. Downes	78	2	18	Franklin	..	..	..	Housewife	Wilnot	Danbury	George Atwood	Sarah A. Eastman
	Albina C. Messer	83	27		Danbury	..	..	..	Retired	Wilnot	Maine	Isaac A. Chandler	Caroline Shaw
	Sarah E. Jackson	73	10	4	Wilnot	..	..	..	Painter	Franklin		George E. Cate	Hannah A. Lord
	Henry E. Chandler	78			Hopkinton	..	..	..	Jeweller	Franklin		Gilbert G. Fellows	Maria Booth
	Fred G. Cate	66			Franklin	..	..	..					
	Dana F. Fellows	61	6	28	Franklin	..	..	..					
		61			Franklin	..	..	..					

1 Married 2 Single 3 Widowed 4 Divorced



# BODIES BROUGHT TO FRANKLIN FOR BURIAL

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex, Condit'n			Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Days			Male	Single, Married, Widowed	Color		Father	Mother		
				Months	Days									
Jan 20	Boston	Lizzie C. Burleigh	67	11	5									
24	Boscawen	Edward A. Stevens	77	1	26									
30	Boston	Irene Pelletier	37	8										
Feb 31	Claremont	Joseph A. Pelletier	37	6	13									
2	Waterbury, Vt	Elizabeth Calley	85	12										
5	Manchester	Rock Riel	86	10	11									
14	Boscawen	Thomas E. Stovall	77	3	22									
14	Boston, Mass.	Catherine Siney	60											
3	E. Andover	Millard P. Libby	73											
8	Boscawen	William C. Mowe	71											
19	Sanbornton	Martha Montgomery	83											
28	Laconia	Susie F. Hunt	69	2	15									
30	Boscawen	Matilda Hawthorne	55	1	14									
Apr 9	Concord	Martha Kenney	62	1	25									
15	Wilton, Me.	Carl E. Noyes	69	1	25									
17	Lincoln	H. G. Kenne	47	3	20									
17	Concord	Ernest Robichaud	56											
May 10	Concord	Laura Hayward	82	6	24									
June 1	Concord	Agnes M. Woods	50	1										
12	Boscawen	Benjamin Mason	82	6	6									
13	Laconia	George W. Ash	72	2	9									
Sept 14	Tilton	Frank B. Creighton	63	4	16									
26	Boscawen	Peter Shepard	61											
30	Boscawen	Julia A. Hicks	77											
Nov 6	Lowell, Mass.	Jeannette Croteau	77	7	15									
19	Haverhill, Ms.	Marshall G. Carlton	58	11	1									
25	Claremont	Zepherin Doucette	79	10	1									
25	Laconia	R. B. Allen	11	25										
27	Tilton	Josephine Perkins	74	1	10									
Dec 28	Concord	Rose Tobine	72	6	28									

Births 167      Marriages 53      Deaths 95

Bodies brought for burial 30

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

IRVING V. GOSS, City Clerk





